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**Port Almanac—September 3.**

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| Sun Rises | 5.33 A M |
| Sun Sets | 6.35 A M |
| Day's Length | 12 h 52 m |
| High Water at Southport | 7.17 P M |
| High Water at Wilmington | 9.04 A M |

**The Weather.**

U S DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N C., Sept. 3.

Meteorological data for yesterday:

Temperature: 8 a. m., 68°; 8 p. m., 72°; maximum, 68°; minimum, 65°; mean 72°.

Rainfall for the day .00; rainfall for the month up to date, .85.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

For North Carolina—Fair; warmer in the interior; easterly winds.

For South Carolina—Showers, followed by fair in northern portion; easterly winds, warmer in northern portion.

**Cotton Region Bulletin.**

The cotton bulletin is issued by the Weather Bureau now at 10 a. m., and gives the weather conditions for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 a. m. The bulletin issued yesterday reports heavy rain in the Charleston district and light showers in other districts. The average maximum temperature ranged from 84 to 94 degrees.

## OUTLINES

Not a single county in Mississippi has indorsed Gov. Stone for U. S. Senator. —— The Peary expedition steamer *Kite* was at Holstenburg on July 15th, all on board were well. —— Will Butcher, a negro, was taken from the the city lockup at Hickman, Ky., and shot by Whitecaps. —— Thousands of French soldiers are reported as being in hospitals in Madagascar. —— The cashier of a bank planned to rob the bank, but the attempt proved unsuccessful. —— Forty thousand acres of land along the Mobile & Ohio Railroad have been sold to Northern and Western people. —— Troops have been called out to protect workmen in the Michigan mining region. —— The display of a red flag in the Labor day parade at Philadelphia led to a wild scene and the arrest of two men who attempted to incite a riot. —— Earthquake shocks were felt at many places in Pennsylvania, New Jersey and New York; people were frightened, but no damage was done. —— At Berlin German American veterans were given the place of honor in the parade in celebration of the 25th anniversary of the fall of Sedan. —— A wild engine on the Sea Beach Railroad, Coney Island, crashed into the rear end of a train which was on her way to Coney Island; more than forty passengers were injured. —— Twenty-eighth annual Trades Union Congress of Great Britain is in session at Cardiff, Wales; over a million members are represented. —— Labor day was celebrated by parades of working men in all the large cities. —— A band of Cuban insurgents destroyed a railroad bridge between Citric and Rodgueriz in the Sagua district. —— Ex- Senator John F. Lewis, of Virginia, did at his residence in Linwood, Rockingham county. —— Tarrytown, Irvington and Scarborough, New York, were in the path of the earthquake early Sunday morning.

Cholera seems to have a pretty tight grip on Pekin, China, where according to the dispatches there have been 40,000 deaths during the month of August.

The New York *Tribune* objects to the words "bike," and "electrocute." The Richmond *Dispatch* thinks bike all right, but can't see anything cute in electrocute.

Two Richmond inventors have invented an improved fishplate for use on railroads which they claim will make a spreading rail an impossibility, and will also prevent the mashing of rail ends.

There is a fortune of $100,000 waiting for Parker Valentine, formerly of Indiana, but he is afraid to come out and get it, because he killed a man some years ago in Minnesota, and he is afraid to take the chances of a trial for murder.

Mr. Eckels, Comptroller of the Treasury, says the greenbacks are payable in silver or gold, but it is the greenback which depletes the Treasury of its gold. Well, why then pay gold? Why not pay what the law provides, either silver or gold?

It is claimed that the shipment of horse meat from this country is injuring the meat business abroad, and therefore Secretary Morton has ordered that meat for shipment be inspected, and that horsemeat shall be so marked as to show what it is without biting.

The mule is frolicsome and mischievous, but not as a rule revengeful, though there are exceptions to this, as in the case of a mule in an Ohio coal mine, which had patiently submitted to being cruelly beaten by its driver, but which the other day reversed the order of proceedings by jumping on the driver and tramping and biting him almost to death. Assistance came in time to prevent the mule from doing him up for good.

In view of the late scrimmage in Pennsylvania, the Philadelphia *North American*, a Quay organ, rises to remark: "We are still all Republicans, as the Democrats will discover the day after the election." It must be remarked that however the Republicans may claw each other and make the fur fly before their conventions they have a wonderful nack of getting together when the nip and tuck with the other fellows comes.

It is said that Quay, who so cleverly knocked the other fellows out in Pennsylvania the other day, is fixing his wires to be the boss man of the Republican National Committee, and Mr. Harrison's friends don't like that. Quay, with Pennsylvania in one hand, is bad enough for Benjamin H., but with the National Committee in the other it would be several times worse.

If one-half what some of the doctors say about the bicycle be true its inventor will have a fearful score to face. With all the other evils which it is said habitual riding will cause, an Illinois doctor says that within a generation the race of riders will become parrot-toed, and then the parrot toe will become hereditary. Lots of parrot heads are hereditary now.

Boston claims to be the "hub," and we expect she is. According to a late census the State of Massachusetts is given an increase of 553,204 in population, of which all but 53,200 was in the cities, and of the whole 270,000 was in towns within ten miles of Boston.

The returns to the U. S. Department of Agriculture indicate a wheat crop of 400,017,000 bushels, which would leave about 100,000,000 bushels for export. The crop of Argentina is estimated at about 61,000,000 bushels, of Russia at 415,000,000 and of India at 237,456,000.

We take it for granted that the poor people of Havre, France, do not indulge in much chicken pie, when chickens sell, as reported by our consul there, at from $1 to $2 a piece, according to size, nor in much beef when good cuts of that sell from 45 to 50 cents a pound.

Prof. Calderwood, of Edinburg University, would make a good policeman. He never forgets a face. He never forgets any of the young men who study under him, although they number about 200 a year.

When a New York milkman waters his milk he does it at the peril of befined if caught from $50 to $100, but the railroad manipulator may water his stock ad libitum and there is no one to call him to taw.

Li Hung Chang is coming to the front again. It is hard to keep a man down when he has brains and $500,000,000.

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**

BASE BALL—At Hilton Park.
SAM'L BEAR, SR—Leading cigar.

**NEW BUSINESS LOCALS.**

PER WEEK—$35.00 to $50.00.

## LOCAL DOTS.

**Items of Interest Gathered Here and There and Briefly Noted.**

— The eclipse to-night will begin at 10.46 o'clock.

— The Board of Aldermen held no meeting yesterday for lack of a quorum.

— Mr. W. C. VonGlahn left last night for the Northern and Eastern markets to buy a stock of shoes for the Fall trade.

— Eclipse of the moon to-night at Carolina Beach. The *Wilmington* will take excursionists to see it, leaving at 8 o'clock and returning at 12.

— In the City Court yesterday Jack Murray, colored, was sentenced to pay a fine of $20 or work thirty days on the streets for assault and battery.

— The total cotton crop for the year ending August 31st, given by States, will be found in the telegraphic department of the STAR this morning.

— Mrs. Vass, wife of W. W. Vass, of Raleigh, who died last Sunday morning, was a daughter of the late Rev. Jas. McDaniel, of Fayetteville. She leaves three children, Misses Eleanor and Lilla May and Mr. Will Vass.

— There was a small fire about 2 o'clock yesterday morning in a frame house on Walnut street, occupied by a colored woman. The fire started under a corner of the house, and is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary.

— There are just as many people looking for houses to rent this year as ever. If you have a vacant house to rent advertise it in the STAR'S Business Locals. Only one cent a word. But no advertisement taken for less than 20 cents.

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## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

**Pertinent Paragraphs Pertaining Principally to People and Pointedly Printed.**

— Mr. Robert Shaw, who has been sick, was out again yesterday.

—Mr. Fred Bond, of Lumberton, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

— Mr. H. E. Gibbons has returned from a visit to friends and relatat Jonesboro, N. C.

— Mr. George Darden leaves this morning for a trip North, where he goes on account of his health and to buy a fall stock in hisline.

— Mr. Ed. Furlong, who was hurt at the Imperial Pine Products Company's works a few days ago, was able to be out yesterday.

— Mr. J. D. Gates, who has been with Messrs. Cottingham & Co, of Dilton, S. C., has taken a position with Messrs. Alex. Sprunt & Son.

—Mr. Robert H. Sykes leaves this morning for Chapel Hill to teach stenography. He is one of Wilmington's cleverest young men, and deserves success.

—Senator-elect Marion Butler and wife arrived here yesterday morning and went to Ocean View, where they will spend a few weeks, having rented Col. F. W. Foster's cottage.

— Mr. P. Heinsberger has returned home after a month's stay at Sparkling Catawba Springs. He was delighted with his trip; and well he may be if his improved health equals his improved appearance.

— Mr. and Mrs. John F. Garrell returned yesterday from their trip North; Mrs. Garrell very much improved in health and Mr. Garrell highly enthused over the promising outlook for the South, in the coming of Northern capitalists to invest in various enterprises.

— Messrs. F. J. Sanders, Rocky Mount; John N. Johnson, Warsaw; J. J. Powers, E. W. Kerr, N. C.; J. A. Brown, J. S. Hartsell, Clinton; J. A. Westbrook, Mt. Olive; Robert S. Collins, Jacksonville; Walter S. Slough, Chadbourn, and A. J. Galloway, Goldsboro, were among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

**Foot Ball Club Organized.**

The foot ball enthusiasts met last night in the office, corner of Front and Orange streets. About twenty-five young men were present, and gave their ideas and views regarding organizing a a club to play this Winter, especially during Welcome Week. Mr. E. A. McKoy was made temporary chairman. A committee of three was appointed to select a time and name a place for the first practice game and to look after matters pertaining to a permanent organization, as follows: Messrs. J. B. Skelding, Henry B. Peschau and Jno. D. Bellamy, Jr., 8d., the latter acting as chairman. The enthusiasts received twenty-six applications for membership, and at present Mr. Jno. D. Bellamy, Jr., 8d, will receive all applications for membership. An advantage will be given Wilmington this year, as a first-class coacher, the best in the South, has been secured to train the home boys.

So far, it has been arranged that the Wilmington team will play several college teams, and Wilmington, which has never had first-class foot ball, is sure to have it this year. The boys are willing and anxious and will show themselves in great shape this season. Lieut. Hasson will be an advantage when the *Colfax* returns to Wilmington.

**Death of Mrs. E. L. Davis.**

The STAR regrets to learn of the death of Mrs. Mamie Hankins Davis, second daughter of Mr. A. G. Hankins and wife of Mr. Ed. L. Davis, after an illness of only one week. She was about 23 years of age, and had only been married about one year. She died at 8 o'clock Sunday morning and her funeral took place yesterday at ten o'clock from her father's residence, No. 418 Fifth street. Rev. W. C. Norman, pastor of Grace Methodist Church, of which she was a conscientious member, conducted the services. The interment was in Oakdale Cemetery. Mr. J. D. Davis, father of Mr. E. L. Davis, accompanied by his daughter and son, reached here from Southport Sunday afternoon to attend the funeral. The pall bearers were Messrs. T. W. Wood, Isaac Loftin, Albert Creasy, Mosely Hubbard, Frank Newsome and Eugene Philyaw.

**New Doctors.**

The Board of State Medical Examiners, which met last week at Wrightsville to examine applicants, granted license to the following: Messrs. J. T. Sevier, D. E Sevier, W. L. Hilliard and J. P. Millard, of Asheville; E. T. Hartsell, of Concord; H. W. Carter, of Fairfield; John McCampbell, of Morganton; C. J. Savage, of Bell Cross; B. R. Graham, of Wallace; E. A. Moye, Jr., of Greenville; W. P. Holt, of Williardsville, and S. M. Mann, of Manteo, white, and W. F. Fuller, of Reidsville, and C. H. Barnhart, of Mt. Pleasant, colored.

Mr. Benj. R. Graham, son of Dr. Graham, of Wallace, N. C., shared the highest honors (having received ninety-six out of one hundred), with Mr. E. A. Moye, of Greenville, N. C. Mr. Graham and his father are both well known in this city, and their friends will be glad to learn of Mr. Benjamin Graham's success.

**New Crop Cotton.**

Two bales of cotton of the new crop arrived here yesterday afternoon, consigned to Messrs. Corbett & Gore. It came from Mr. E. Sternberger at Clio, South Carolina.

This is the first shipment of the new crop received in Wilmington. It is about two weeks later than the first shipment last year.

If there is anything you want, advertise for it. Is there anything you don't want? Advertise it in the Business Locals of the STAR. One cent a word. But no ad. taken for less than 20 cents. tf

## BLACKSTOCKINGS VS. QUICKSTEPS.

**The Charlotte Team Again Beaten—Score 8 to 0—Another Game to be Played To-day.**

The game of base ball yesterday afternoon between the Quicksteps, of Charlotte, and the Blackstockings, was one of the best ever played on the Hilton Park diamond. Both teams played great ball and the several hundred persons who witnessed it were enthusiastic in their comment on the playing done by each side.

Schenck, who has been sick with a bad knee, which was skinned while sliding for a base in Charlotte, didn't do his usual good work. He tried to pitch, but allowed the Quicksteps to make seven runs in the first inning. The grand stand then yelled for Addison, the old stand-by of the Blackstockings, and when he went into the pitcher's box in the second inning Wilmington's colored team braced up and made run after run, while Charlotte scored only one more, which was in the eighth inning. Mr. W. P. Oldham, Jr., umpired the game, and Charlotte made no kick. Addison's pitching was great.

Moseley, of the Blackstockings, does noble work behind the bat. The name of "Trilby" was given him in Charlotte as the best catcher that has ever been on their diamond. The following is the score by innings:

| Innings | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | T'l |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Quicksteps | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 8 |
| Blackstockings | 1 | 1 | 3 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | x | 9 |

One double play in the sixth inning by Wilmington.

As the Charlotte team has played in hard luck and lost the $125 in gold put up, the Street Railway Company has retained them for three days to play for sixty and forty per cent. of the gate receipts respectively, the winners first and the losers second, which has caused a quarrel between the teams and both will play hard ball to win. Charlie Burnett will pitch for the Blackstockings to-day and betting is heavy with odds for Charlotte. Last night Schenck's team was paid off with what they had won.

## BOARD OF HEALTH.

**Dr. J. C. Shepard Elected Superintendent of Health.**

The New Hanover County Board of Health held its annual meeting yesterday at noon in the room of the County Commissioners at the court house. Mr. H. A. Bagg was elected chairman. Upon taking the chair Mr. Bagg stated that the purpose of the meeting was to elect a Superintendent of Health for the county. Nominations were then called for. Dr. S. P. Wright nominated Dr. J. C. Shepard, Dr. Burbank nominated Dr. A. H. Harriss and Dr. G. G. Thomas nominated Dr. Jewett.

There was but one ballot taken, which resulted as follows: Dr. Jewett three votes, Dr. Harriss three, Dr. Shepard fifteen. Dr. Shepard was declared to be elected County Superintendent of Health for the next two years.

Dr. Thomas offered the following resolution, which was adopted, viz:

That a committee of three be appointed to wait upon the Board of Aldermen to ask that a Board of Health be organized to control all sanitary matters within the city limits, and to do such other things as appertain to such board.

The motion was adopted, and the chair appointed Dr. Harriss, Dr. Thomas and Dr. Shepard as the committee.

There being no other business, upon motion the meeting adjourned.

**Jurors for the Superior Court.**

Jurors for the September term of the Superior Court for New Hanover county, which will convene on the 23rd inst., were drawn yesterday as follows:

First Week—Pembroke Jones, N Jacobi, A H Creasy, S T Keyes, W G Guthrie, E C Glavin, J H King, W G Whitehead, W H Humphries, T J Gore, W H Croom, M G Chadwick, Chas E Collins, J R Bissett, M C Walton, Daniel Gurganus, G W Branch, Abner Quinn, E C Griffin, E T Conway, B B Humphrey, R B Freeman, Jr, S G Craig, John F Soll, A W Watson, L T Pritchard, A Lockamy, Charles Thompson, George A Rogers, Jas Madden, W H Gilbert, J T Littleton, W S King, C C Covington, W H Turley, Jas T Jewett.

Second Week—L J King, W W Hodges, J O Wiggs, Wm Struthers, A B George, Chas B Grissom, D W Ramsey, Walter G McRae, Jno Darden, G A Peterson, E Skipper, W A Wright, Jas P Montgomery, Hans A Kure, I E Bissett, W R Beery, E S McGowan, Jno Sheehan.

**Crops in Bladen.**

Capt. T. J. Green, of White Hall, who was in the city yesterday, gives a good account of crops in Bladen. Corn is fine, and cotton very good, though the acreage of the latter is less than last year. The danger to corn in the lowlands from overflow is not yet entirely passed, but the chances favor exemption from that danger. Should the farmers harvest a full crop on the river lands they will be in better financial condition than for several years.

**Crops of Corn and Birds.**

Mr. John F. Taylor, who lives three miles from Magnolia, was a visitor at the STAR office yesterday. He reports a good corn crop, and cotton looking very well. The partridge crop, however, is very short. In fact, Mr. Taylor says he has not seen a covey of young birds this season. He attributes the scarcity of birds to the terrible weather of last February.

**Store Entered and Robbed.**

Messrs. Smith & Montgomery's grocery store, corner of Front and Castle streets, was entered and robbed Saturday night last. A police officer discovered the robbery about half-past 8 o'clock Sunday morning. The store was entered through the transom over the door on the Castle street side of the building. A quantity of groceries was taken and a small sum in silver that was left in the money drawer.

## COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

**Dr. W. D. McMillan Elected County Physician—Property Assessments Adjusted—Delinquents to be Allowed to List Property—Board of Education Convened—A New School House to be Built in District No. 10.**

The Board of Commissioners held their regular monthly meeting yesterday. Present—Messrs. H. A. Bagg (chairman), B. G. Worth. E. L. Pearce, J. C. Stevenson and B. S. Montford.

Treasurer VanAmringe submitted his report for the month of August, showing balance on hand to the credit of the general, special and educational fund.

Register of Deeds Haar submitted report of marriage licenses issued during the month of August, and the fees therefor ($14.25) turned over to the county treasurer.

The matter of salaries of the county physician and superintendent of health were taken up for consideration.

On motion the salary of the superintendent of health was fixed at $600 per annum, and the salary of the county physician, $400.

On motion an election for county physician was held and applications for from Dr. W. Hall, Dr. W. D. McMillan, Dr. W. F. Stokes and Dr. A. H. Harriss were read. A ballot was taken, and Dr. McMillan having received a majority of the votes (four) was declared elected county physician for the term of two years from September 1st, 1895.

The Board of Assessors of Harnett township, on complaint of owners of "East Wilmington" property, recommended that no change of valuation be made, and on motion their recommendation was approved.

The valuation of property in block 321, Wilmington township, was made as follows: H. H. Parsley $600, R. A. Parsley $400, Mrs. Rutland $100, C. Parsley, Jr., $650

On motion the Board allowed M. Cronly $2.00 per day for two days attendance on the meetings of the Board.

There appearing no clerical error in the assessment of W. H. Strauss, the Board declined to consider his application for reduction.

On motion, the valuation of property of T. W. Wood, block 179, was changed to $3,000.

On motion, the Board decided to allow the presidents of banks to list shares of stock held by individuals before the Register of Deeds for taxation.

It was ordered that the tax on stock listed by resident stockholders of the National Bank of Wilmington and the Atlantic National Bank be abated.

It was ordered by the Board that all persons who have failed to list their taxes for 1895 be allowed to list them, provided the taxes are paid at the time of listing.

It was ordered that the public road in Harnett township, known as the "Wrightsville road," from the four-mile post on the Newbern road to the Ash branch, be abolished.

The purchase of a suit of clothes for Lowrey Brown, colored, discharged from the county workhouse, was ordered, the cost not to exceed five or six dollars, and the same to be charged to the account of S. H. Terry, keeper of the county home and workhouse.

The Board took a recess until Wednesday at 2.30 p. m.

The Board of Education convened after the adjournment of the Board of Commissioners.

The treasurer submitted his report for the month of August, sustained by proper vouchers showing balance on hand of $7,535.09.

Upon application of sundry citizens of school district No. 10 the Board of Education decided to use the school house formerly occupied by white children for colored children, and that the schoolhouse to be erected near Castle Hayne be for the use of white children in that district.

On motion Capt. E. W. Manning was appointed a committee of one to secure the proper papers for the land and superintend the erection of the school house.

**Organize a Company.**

There should be a State Baseball League next year, and Wilmington ought to take the initiative. It is the largest city in the State and has more true lovers of the "American game" than any other. The very large attendance at Hilton Park during the past few days to witness the contest between the colored clubs shows that Wilmington appreciates and will patronize liberally a good game of ball; and if we could have such games between clubs composed of whites the attendance would be much larger.

Let us get up a stock company. Fix the value of shares at $10.00 each, payable in monthly instalments of $2.00. Work should be begun at once, and $2,000 should be raised. The STAR will take two shares. How many other subscribers will take two or more shares?

**Will Be Married To-Morrow.**

Miss Elizabeth Thornton Jenkins, of Williamsboro, Granville county, will be married to Rev. Daniel M. Morrelle, of this city, to-morrow. The ceremony will take place in St. John's Episcopal church, at Williamsboro, and will be solemnized by Rev. W. S. Pettigrew, the Rector. The happy couple will take a bridal tour to New York and other cities, and will be at home, in this city, after September 20th. Mr. Morrelle is well and favorably known to almost everybody in Wilmington, and Miss Jenkins is a near relative to Mrs. Andrew J. Howell, Jr., of this city, and of Mrs. Cicero W. Harris, of Washington, D. C.

**Encyclopedia Britannica.**

The STAR Britannica Department is still filling orders for the Encyclopædia Britannica. This is the latest and best edition of this great work. Issued in 25 volumes, bound in cloth or sheep. For full particulars read announcement on hird page, or inquire at the STAR office.

## NEW SECRETARY OF STATE.

**HON. CHAS. M. COOKE SUCCEEDS THE LATE OCTAVIUS COKE.**

**The Arrington Tribunal—Phillips Sobered Penitent—A Raleigh Boy Drowned—Death of Mrs. W. W. Vass—Beaufort Insurance Swindlers—U. S. Marshal Carroll—Labor Day—N. C. Railroad Dividends.**

[*Star Correspondence.*]

RALEIGH, September 22.

Hon. Chas. Mather Cooke, of Louisburg, was this morning appointed Secretary of State to succeed the late Octavius Coke. Mr. Cooke's appointment came in the nature of a surprise, as it was known that he came here in the interest of the candidacy of N. B. Broughton, of this city. Mr. Cooke came in response to a telegram from the Governor. He was immediately offered the Secretaryship and accepted it. Of the names that had been specially urged upon the Governor for appointment, Messrs. S. W. Mason and S. A. Ashe, received high endorsement. Other names suggested to Gov. Carr were N. B. Broughton, Raleigh; Capt. W. P. Batchelor, private secretary to the late Secretary Coke; Wm. R Williams, of Pitt, and W. A. Blair. Mr. Cooke was in the city yesterday and returned to Louisburg this morning. Mr. Cooke will return to-morrow and take the oath of office on his arrival. It is not known whether he will retain Mr. Batchelor and Mr. Saunders in the office or not. The bond required is $20,000.

Mr. Cooke comes of distinguished lineage, the Cotton Mather family. He was born in Franklin county, educated at Wake Forest and served through the war. Was admitted to the practice of law in '67. Has served as Solicitor in this district. Been member of the State Senate and in the House three times. Was elected Speaker of the House and presided during one session. Has been a prominent candidate for the Democratic Congressional nomination for the last two terms. He was selected as the standard-bearer last year, but was defeated in the Fusion landslide by Stroud.

Editor James, of the Wilmington *Review*, was in the city to day greeting friends.

Phillips has sobered and is very penitent. He says he thinks he will apologize to the people of Raleigh through the papers for his conduct. "Lord" Campbell is also sobering.

The "court" after reflecting held a public session this morning in the Senate Chamber. Several witnesses were examined, but nothing new developed.

Mr. Quint. Busbee, a Raleigh boy, was drowned yesterday at Ocean View near Norfolk. No particulars were learned. Busbee was a very daring young man. He was a member of the Governor's Guard and an escort of that company will meet the remains this afternoon at Henderson.

The death of Mrs. W. W. Vass, wife of Major Vass, for many years treasurer of the R. & G. road, occurred Sunday morning rather suddenly. Mrs. Vass was a lovely lady. Much sympathy is expressed for the family. Mrs. Vass had presided over the organ of the First Baptist Church a number of years. There were no services yesterday, in respect to her memory.

Zion Halleman, a prominent farmer of this county, lost a barn full of tobacco night before last by fire. It was nearly cured.

Mr. H. S. Leard, the new passenger and freight agent for Raleigh is here.

Prof. Craighill, the newly elected professor of the A. & M. College, has arrived here with his wife. The college opens on the 6th with bright prospects.

The Beaufort insurance swindlers will be tried at the October term of court in Beaufort county, Judge Graham presiding.

The new iron bridge over Neuse River, five miles from the city, will be 60 feet high and 150 feet in length. It will be completed by October 1st.

The number of prisoners in the workhouse is 72. Number of infirm, 72. The increase of prisoners in ten years has been 300 per cent.

U. S. Marshal Carroll left to-day for Duplin, Wilmington and Southport on official business.

Col. Eugene Harrell has returned from New York. He saw the horseless wagon in operation and is high in its praise. He says it can be managed easier than horses, being perfectly under control. They cost $500 and require one cent an hour to run them.

Labor day was observed here at the Federal buildings. The Capitol was closed, but banks went on as usual. Seaboard employes in the shops took holiday.

The semi-annual dividend of the N. C. Railroad, amounting to $90,000—being the State's part—was turned over to the Treasurer to-day.

Mr. A. G. Rowland, of Lumberton, Robeson county, has been appointed a Commissioner of the Circuit Court for the Eastern District of North Carolina, by Judge Seymour.

Mr. L. B. Wetmore, of Lincoln county, a former Democrat, has flopped to the Republicans, so Editor Ayer tells me.

**Woman's Monument Association.**

The Woman's Monument Association will be represented in Wilmington to-day and to-morrow by Miss Broadfoot and Miss Morrison, of Fayetteville. They will solicit subscriptions and advertisements for the Woman's Edition of the Fayetteville *Observer*, to be issued during the current month. The ladies are working for a most worthy object, and the STAR bespeaks for them substantial encouragement.

**APPOINTMENTS WILMINGTON DISTRICT.**

W. S. Bone, P. E.

Bladen circuit, Antioch, August 31 and September 1
Kenansville circuit, Richlands, September 7 and 8
Brunswick circuit, Shalotte Camp, September 14 and 15
Clinton circuit, Johnson's, September 21 and 22.

**One Cent a Word.**

Hereafter advertisements to go in our "Business Locals" department will be charged one cent per word for each insertion; but no advertisement, however short, will be taken for less than 20 cents.

This is a reduction from former rates and it is also a convenience to advertisers, who can calculate the exact cost of their advertisements, which must be paid for always in advance.

**Buy No Others.**

All persons are hereby cautioned against buying copies of the STAR offered for sale on the streets unless, in every case, the words "For Transient Sale" are stamped on the margin of the paper. Should any newsboy or carrier offer for sale a copy of the STAR not so stamped he should be promptly reported at this office.

## THE TEXAS COMPLICATION.

**Will the Fight Take Place in Texas?—The Supreme Court to Settle It.**

DALLAS, Texas, August 31.—John P. Gillespie, county attorney of Dallas county, said to-day as to the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight:

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# The Morning Star.

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

TUESDAY MORNING, SEP. 3, 1895

## THE SAME OLD SCARECROW.

When the tariff was an issue in our politics, and the Democrats of the South in common with Democrats of other sections of the country demanded reform and a reduction of the duties that were imposed for the benefit of the favored manufacturers of the North, we were told that the Southern Democrats were doing a very foolish thing, that they were turning the capitalists of the North against the South, for capitalists would never put their money in industries in a section which was opposed to protection. That was one of the stock "arguments" of the Republican stumpers in the South, and that's the way they tried to bluff us and scare us off from advocating a reduction of tariff duties, although the high tariff had cost the South hundreds of millions of dollars without a tithe of compensating benefit.

The Republican tariff was a Northern tariff which entirely ignored the South and was framed for the special benefit of the manufacturing sections of the North, for when this tariff policy was entered upon there were comparatively few manufactories in the South. They knew this, we knew it, and yet they tried to gag us and make us submit without protest to the continued plunder year after year, with the threat that our protests would drive Northern capital away from us. The threat didn't scare, the Democracy of the South continued to demand tariff reduction, sent some of its ablest men to Congress to advocate it and it came at last, but if it ever kept a dollar of Northern capital out of the South or ever drove out a dollar that had come in that fact has not been made conspicuously public.

The gold monometallists are now playing the same game that the protective tariff people played then, are using the same old scarecrow to gag us on the silver question and frighten us from insisting that the silver dollar shall be restored to its once honored place in our monetary system. They threaten us with the disapprobation of the "sound money" people if we contend for silver, declare that men who have money to lend or to invest will not have confidence enough in the South if we do not accept their dictates on the money question and let the money lenders of the North continue to fleece us as they have been doing ever since 1873.

If this were so it would be an appeal to cowardice to submit to a wrong to placate the men who committed this wrong and thus retain their good will, although we might lose their respect, just as we would have lost the respect of the high tariffites if we had tamely submitted to being plundered by them to placate them. But it is not true. Money never goes anywhere, nor seeks investment anywhere on sentiment. The tariff agitation never kept a dollar out of the South which would otherwise have come into it, for no man ever put a dollar in a Southern enterprise without knowing and feeling pretty well satisfied that that dollar would earn other dollars. Most of the South's progress and development is the work of enterprising and energetic Southern men, and has been accomplished with the money that these Southern men have earned by their own efforts and industry or borrowed by giving ample security. Some Northern capital has found its way South and found investment in our manufactories and in our mineral and timber lands, but the men who put it there knew they had a good thing and were not giving themselves any concern over the political issues that were being discussed, or over the position of the Southern people on them.

And so it will be in the future regardless of the discussion on the financial question or of the position the people of the South may take on it. Whatever the outcome of that agitation may be, it cannot affect the South more than any other section of the country as far as "shaking confidence" goes, for we cannot have free coinage unless the majority of the people say so, and then what is done must affect all sections of the country alike in as far as the monetary system must apply to all, and the silver dollar be a silver dollar in one section as well as in the other, whether it be called a 50 cent dollar or a 100 cent dollar. No man will lend money in the South or anywhere else without having it amply secured, and there are very few who lend money, as a business, who do not know how to protect themselves when they lend it and how to form their contracts in accordance with the provisions of the laws which are framed to protect creditors. That's what they do now and that's what they would do if we had free coinage of silver to-morrow. If they lent money it would be "lawful money of the United States," and they would expect to get that kind of money back. If they lent "gold" they would stipulate for "gold" in payment, just as they do now, hence all this talk about keeping out capital and checking the tide of Southern prosperity is the veriest rot, of which the men who indulge in it ought to be ashamed.

## MINOR MENTION.

The hope is entertained by many Democrats that the conditions will so improve before the time for holding the next National Convention that the money question will cease to be a cause of dissension, as it is now, and that there will, therefore, be little difficulty in the two factions of the party getting together. If business should so improve, the wages of workmen increase, and the farmer find ready market for his products at fair prices this would cause a distribution of money which would ease up the situation very much and do much to blunt the edge of the silver agitation, but whether this is all to be must be determined by the future. The indications point in that direction, yet contingencies may arise to disappoint hope. But whether or not the gold advocates who are demanding that the next Democratic convention shall proclaim unequivocally for gold, and ignore silver, are doing a very foolish thing if they want the different factions of the party to get together, and are not profiting by the example of the Republican leaders, who (whether honest in it or not) concede that silver is entitled to recognition, and promise that their party, if restored to power, will do all it can to secure it that recognition. That's what the Ohio Republican convention, presided over by Senator Sherman, did, and that's what every Republican candidate for the Presidency who has spoken upon this subject has said. They are wisely endeavoring to keep the silver Republicans in the party, instead of pursuing a course that might drive them out. The Chicago *Inter-Ocean* is a silver paper, and one of the leading Republican papers in the West. In discussing international conferences it carries out the programme of the Republican leaders and voices their sentiments thus:

"The avowed object was to restore silver to its old place as a money metal. Nothing came of it. Three years later a second attempt in the same line followed, and again eleven years later. These three international conferences, 1878, 1881 and 1892, the latest held at Brussels, had this one object in view, the restoration of silver, and they were all flat failures. Perhaps Mr. Balfour wants to try a new tack. If he does, let him start in. As we have said, there is no hope from Cleveland, but Mr. Balfour can rest assured that Cleveland's Republican successor will gladly and in good faith co-operate with the Salisbury government in any genuine movement in favor of bimetallism."

They may not have any more confidence in international agreement than the gold Democrats have, but they are not stupid enough to declare for bimetallism on international agreement and then in the same breath pronounce international agreement a "delusion and a snare."

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Every time the subject of the Nicaragua Canal engages public attention the old project of the Panama Canal is revived and we have rumors that there are new movements on foot to resume work and push it to completion. Since the return and report of the committee sent out in pursuance of a resolution passed by the last Congress, which report is favorable to the construction of the canal, we have had several reports to the effect that plans were maturing for the completion of the Panama Canal, one of which was that a company was being organized in Europe for that purpose, and another that a syndicate of three or four wealthy men in New Jersey were trying to buy it, and expected, if successful in the purchase, to complete it within a year or so. The estimated cost of completion ranges from $20,000,000 to $100,000,000. Up to the time that the canal company went to pieces in such a sudden and disgraceful way $220,000,000 had been spent on that work, a large portion of which was squandered or stolen. Our opinion is that most of these rumors are bluffs to scare people off from taking stock in the Nicaragua canal, and to prevent this Government from giving it financial support. If there was a prospect of the early completion of the Panama canal that would have a tendency to check subscriptions to the other, because with two canals competing with each other the division of business would leave little, if any, profit for either. If one be built the probabilities are that the other will not be, and hence as a matter of business the sooner it is definitely determined that the Nicaragua canal is to be built, and the greater the vigor with which it is pushed to completion the better its chances of cutting off competition and having the field to itself.

## CURRENT COMMENT

—The projected Nicaragua Canal is by far the most feasible enterprise for connecting the two oceans, and it would be safe to predict that that canal will be constructed long before another genuine attempt is made to complete the Panama Canal. —*Savannah News, Dem.*

—If Hardin is defeated in Kentucky it will be by the beat-Blackburn-or-bust element. Regardless of his financial views, the defeat of Blackburn would be anything but a calamity, but Democrats who are willing to lie down on the Democratic nominee for Governor in the effort to beat Blackburn, or because they disagree with the nominee on the money question are unworthy of the name of Democrats. When a Democrat becomes so impregnated with goldbugism or the free silver mania that he stands ready to knife his party's nominee he ought to no longer pretend to be a Democrat.—*Knoxville Tribune, Dem.*

## SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

—Raleigh *Press-Visitor*: Mr. Thomas G. Lee died yesterday afternoon at the residence of his son, Mr. R. E. Lee. Capt. Lee was a well known citizen and a member of the Typographical Union. He was probably the oldest printer in the State.

—Washington *Gazette*: Bay Creek, Pamlico county, seems to be a fatal locality this year. There were seven sudden there in about two weeks. On last Saturday Mr. C. Lewis, of the same county, attended the Masonic Lodge, went home, was taken suddenly sick that night and died next morning.

—Windsor *Ledger*: The mother of Mrs. W. H. Sanderlin died at the home of her daughter on Granville street last Thursday. Mrs. White had been ill for some time and suffered a great deal. Though her death was momentarily expected, it seems that she had been dead some time before her daughter was aware of it.

—Newbern *Journal*: The colored Fair had one circumstance to take at it which but few Fairs have—snakes hatched out at it. A boy placed seven snake eggs on exhibition at the beginning of the Fair and they all hatched out before it was over. They moved lively from the first and are said to be white oak snakes.

—Charlotte *Observer*: Mr. Watson Reid, of Sharon, tells about fifteen or more ducks eating up at least half an acre of cotton. At some places they made a clean sweep. On inquiry he found out that it was a common complaint against the Pekin duck. The reporter asked other farmers concerning the matter, and they make similar complaint.

—Raleigh *News and Observer*: Mr. B. C. Beckwith, who returned from Smithfield yesterday, said that yesterday morning Dr. Sneed, a citizen of that place, stabbed himself to the heart, inflicting a mortal wound, from which he died later in the day. It was said that Dr. Sneed was suffering from mental depression, and was beside himself when he committed the terrible deed.

—Scotland Neck *Democrat*: Mrs. Maj. J. B. Neal died at her home in Scotland Neck, Tuesday night, August 27th, at 10 o'clock. —— Last week three convicts tried to escape from the State farm near Weldon. The guards shot over their heads to frighten and stop them. They would not stop, so the guards shot them down. Two were killed outright and one was wounded and tracked to the river by the blood.

Rocky Mount *Argonaut*: Mr. J. L. Brake, one of Edgecombe county's successful farmers, tells us a story which would be considered incredible if coming from a less reliable source. He says John W. Scarborough and wife, of Edgecombe, are the happy parents of twenty-four boys, the twenty-four being being born at twelve births, or, in other words, they were all twins. The family left for Tennessee between 1830 and 1840 and afterwards went to California. The sons all grew up to manhood's estate.

## TWINKLINGS.

— The language of a deaf mute is a thing that goes without saying.—*Texas Siftings.*

— A lazy man does his hardest work in looking for an easy job.—*St. Louis Humorist.*

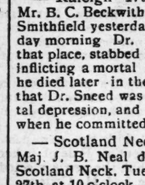
— The theory is gaining ground that Nature made the twilight for people to learn bicyle riding in.—*Chicago Record.*

— From her waist up almost any woman looks as well in knickerbockers as she would in skirts.—*Washington Times.*

— "Ice water only makes you dry, Tommy, so why do you drink it?"

"Because it whets my appetite, mamma."—*Harper's Bazar.*

HEART DISEASE, like many other ailments when they have taken hold of the system, never gets better of its own accord, but ***Constantly grows worse.*** There are thousands who know they have a defective heart, but will not admit the fact. They don't want their friends to worry, and ***Don't know what to take for it,*** as they have been told time and again that heart disease was incurable. Such was the case of Mr. Silas Farley of Dyesville, Ohio who writes June 19, 1894, as follows:



***"I had heart disease for 23 years,*** my heart hurting me almost continually. The first 15 years I doctored all the time, trying several physicians and remedies, until my last doctor told me it was only a question of time as I could not be cured. I gradually grew worse, very weak, and completely discouraged, until I lived, propped half up in bed, because I ***couldn't lie down*** nor sit up. Thinking my time had come I told my family what I wanted done when I was gone. But on the first day of March on the recommendation of Mrs. Fannie Jones, of Anderson, Ind., I commenced taking ***Dr. Miles' New Cure for the Heart*** and wonderful to tell, in ten days I was working at light work and on March 19 commenced framing a barn, which is heavy work, and I hav'nt lost a day since. I am 56 years old, 6 ft. 4½ inches and weigh 250lbs. ***I believe I am fully cured,*** and I am now only anxious that everyone shall know of your wonderful remedies."

Dyesville, Ohio. SILAS FARLEY.

Dr. Miles Heart Cure is sold on a positive guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. All druggists sell it at $1, 6 bottles for $5, or it will be sent, prepaid, on receipt of price by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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## THE PHOTOGRAPH.

The door closed softly behind the quiet little maid, and the girl, standing before the long mirror and tranquilly rearranging a bit of lace that had gone astray upon the white gown, turned, with a strange expression on her beautiful face, and looked thoughtfully after the maid. Then the beautiful girl crossed the room quickly and locked the door. The wedding dress rustled faintly as the key turned in the lock, and the sound, slight as it was, brought a flood of color, exquisite in its hue, into her cheeks, but with a sigh of relief she went resolutely back to the tiny writing desk which stood near the dressing table and sank quietly into the chair before it. Once again the pink roses gave way to the white in her cheeks, however, and for a moment her fingers hovered in a half hesitating, half doubtful way over one of the heavily carved drawers, then, with a little neat toss of defiance to the thoughts that were advising her against her heart's wish, she pulled the drawer slowly open and drew from its plush lined recess a small photograph.

It was the picture of a man, but a man neither handsome nor striking in appearance.

For a moment the girl looked down at the plain face before her, with the dear, true eyes returning her earnest gaze so really, without emotion; then, with a half suppressed little exclamation of infinite love, she pressed the picture to her sweet young lips again and again.

Up the wide stairway and along the hall came the subdued strains of the orchestra humming softly to itself behind the palms in the balcony, and the rippling melodies mingled reluctantly with the sound of the wheels of the late comers' carriages as they rolled hurriedly up to the door.

The girl's beautiful eyes, still upon the photograph, seemed to grow dreamy with recollections, and she forgot the waiting men and women of her set below. Two years ago—two short years! Yet in that time what a century of love a woman may live, and what an eternity of happiness or pain!

Two years ago, and life held only happiness and hopes, and now— But she would not permit herself to think of now; the present is to be lived, not thought of. Whatever happened in that present made little difference. The past was hers, secure and not to be disturbed. And to that past she crept back for one long, last look ere it was put away, forever perhaps. She knew it must be; she had been told so time and time again, but not until the very night when she was to give her hand to her brother's best friend had she fully realized it all.

With her heart throbbing as it had never throbbed before, though she had listened to the halting story from other men's lips, she heard but dimly what this plain, earnest man whispered, and when at last she raised her happy face to his and he kissed her passionately heaven indeed seemed not so far away.

For a long time they sat there—longer than the gull had the patience to wait, for it finally flew away—and when they went back at last, walking slowly along the beach to the little inn, her heart seemed to sing to itself the love song he had sung the night before, with a new meaning in the tender words. And she felt and realized that love had crowned her life.

And now? She wondered dimly if he remembered all this, or had he forgotten as men will forget such things? Could he do that, could he? She looked again at the picture held in her warm trembling hand, and the deep gray eyes looking straight up into her own seemed to say "No!" while the firm lips might have been whispering over again those sweet perjuries which even now rang in her ears.

The sharp click of a closing carriage door sounded below, and a moment after the hurried tread of feet upon the stair told of the arrival of groom and best man, but she did not hear them. Again the picture was pressed to the girl's lips, and the blue eyes grew brighter still with unshed tears. Gone though it all was, irrevocably past, it was still her privilege in these last few minutes to bring it back if she chose and to live for a moment in the shadowy long ago. Only a few short moments more and the girl would be the wife, and then—

A gentle knock upon the door, and the little mother's soft, anxious voice called: "Are you ready, dear? He is here."

The girl started to her feet, clutching the picture in her nervous fingers until it almost bent. The orchestra was throbbing in musical rhythms below, the chatter of the guests came up to her as if they were far away and she but an idle listener, and the dreamy look in her sweet eyes deepened for a moment. Then it passed quickly, and a pretty air of determination and resolve came over her. With one last yearning look at the face between her white fingers she hesitated a single second, and then, with eyes alight and cheeks burning, she slipped the picture into the bosom of her gown, and the lace fell gently over it.

"Yes, mother," she answered quietly, forcing back with a great effort the little sob that rose to her lips, and walking steadily across the room again she unlocked the door and stood before the nervous, chattering bridesmaids with a calm, sweet face and quiet dignity which hushed their words and set them to silently admiring her.

"I am ready," she said.

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As the carriage bowled away from the door amid a shower of roses and good wishes and a worn little slipper or two the girl leaned forward, and drawing the picture from its hiding place slowly she looked at it and then into the face of her husband, who sat watching her with quiet happiness. Then, with a happy, girlish laugh, she answered his implied question:

"Yes; I carried it there all during the service, right next my heart. But, Frank, dear, you are much handsomer than you were two years ago."—E. J. Appleton in Cincinnati Post.

### Were Women Free.

The only reason why women ever assume what is more appropriate to men is because they prevent them from finding out what is fit for themselves. Were they free, were they wise, fully to develop the strength and beauty of women, they would never wish to be men or menlike. The well instructed woman flies not from her orbit to seize on the glories of her partner. —Margaret Fuller Ossoli.

### "Soft" Drinks Abroad.

There is nothing like the abundance of "soft drinks" to be had in Europe that one can get in any American town or village. In England there are the peppery ginger ale, bottled lemonade and various mineral waters, while on the continent there is the everlasting sherbet. In Italy and other southern countries one can get perhaps half a dozen different fruit sirups, which are served in small quantities in large glasses, the waiter filling up the glass from the water bottle. The country folk of the north make various sorts of light beers from roots and herbs, but these cannot be had at public places in cities, as birch beer, root beer, sarsaparilla, and the like can be got in the United States. Of course the universal use of beer and wine accounts to a great extent for the lack of variety in "soft" drinks. A more comprehensive reason perhaps is that no other people on earth so persistently drench themselves with drinks, in all seasons and at all hours, as do Americans. Anything like the scene at a big soda fountain in any American town on a summer's day is not to be found in any other country.—New York Sun.

Make a list, in the order in which you pack them, of the contents of your woolen chest and paste it on the outside. Then the articles at the head of the list will be in the bottom of the box.

The woman who sets herself up as a model of beauty, wit, goodness, erudition or anything else must expect the criticism as well as the admiration bestowed upon models.

The Canadian parliament at Ottawa voted on woman suffrage recently, and nearly half the members voted in favor of it. It is coming and nothing can stop it.—New York Recorder.

The new woman? Nonsense! Let her rig herself up as she pleases, let her talk as she will, she is and will always be the same dear old girl.—New York Sun.

## SLAVE OR FREE?

It was on the Mississippi in 1858. The "colonel" had lost his last dollar at poker.

"Bring the girl and boy here that I bought at Natchez. Hold on the game just one minute, gentlemen, and I'll make a raise."

The man went away and shortly returned accompanied by the "girl and boy." Said "girl" proved to be a bright mulatto of five and thirty or thereabout, and the "boy" was her son.

The boy was not far from 10 years of age, with a face lighter in color than was his mother's, his features really handsome.

"Look here, gentlemen," spoke the planter rising, "there's as likely a pair, for a girl and her brat, as you can scare up. I paid $800 for 'em. Who'll give $600?"

"Why not put 'em up separate?" asked one.

"Twon't do to sell 'em separate. The girl has sworn that she will kill herself if her boy is sold away from her, and her old master says she'll be sure to keep her word. But don't ye see the woman is worth more'n I ask for the pair. Now, what d'ye say? Who'll take 'em at $600?"

The owner waited a few seconds without receiving an answer and then said:

"I must have the money, so here goes for a raffle. Twenty dollars a throw and 30 chances for the pair."

The chances, all but two, were quickly taken by those at the table.

"Two more chances, gentlemen."

A man whispered apart to the judge and then made his way to the table and threw down two gold eagles.

"What name?"

"Give it to the woman."

"Eh? The gal herself?"

"Yes; give her a chance."

"All right. One chance for Ninette!"

Before the planter could call again Judge Underwood had placed $20 upon the table, saying as he did so:

"This is for the boy."

"Good!" cried the owner of the property. "Here's a chance for Tommy, and that takes the lot. Where's the clerk?"

"Here."

"Have ye got blanks for this sort of business?"

"Yes."

"Then won't ye fill up a bill of sale of these two—Ninette and Tommy—and leave a place to put in the name of the winner?

"Now for the dice, gentlemen."

The dice were brought on, and the shaking commenced. Of the first ten throws 36 was the biggest number cast. The eleventh throw turned up 42. Then the scores fell again till the twenty-first throw, when one of the gamesters threw out 49.

The crowd were now all excitement. Forty-nine was a hard point to beat. The lowest number that could be thrown was 9, and the highest (nine sixes) was 54, making what is called an average throw about 31½. Of 100 throws the majority will fall below 32.

Again the dice rattled in the box as the second gamester took his turn, but his throw was a low one. The twenty-eighth throw belonged to the clerk of the boat, who had now returned with the bill of sale. He threw 49, tying the gamester.

"Come, Ninette; it's your turn."

The woman started and quivered and pressed her hand over her heart. Only the groaning and puffing of the engine broke the stillness of the place.

"Will the gentleman who paid for the chance throw for me?" she said in a low, musical voice, earnest and imploring and of purest accent.

"Let your boy throw for you," returned the man. "His luck should be better than mine."

Tommy came forward and took the box. His mother's hands were clasped, and her lips moved. The boy trembled like an aspen. What a world of weal or woe hung upon the fickle chance! He held in his hand the sealed book in which was written the fate of his mother and himself, and it was to be opened upon the hazard of a die!

He shook the box and turned the dice upon the table. Three aces! A moment he gazed upon the three single spots, and then dropping the box he sank back, pale and frightened.

"Shake again, Tommy," said the planter.

"It's no use, master. I can't get 49."

"But you've got your own chance, my boy."

"Aye," cried the judge. "That was your mother's chance. Now throw for yourself—throw for the chance I gave you—brace up and take heart, and may heaven help you!"

That was not an assembly of religiously inclined persons by any means, but the fervent petition of the judge met with a warm and impulsive response of "Amen" from nearly all present.

Again the boy came forward and lifted the box. His lips were tightly shut, and the old quivering of the limbs was hushed. The only sound in that saloon, above the deep breathing of the spectators, was the clicking of the ivory cubes. Presently the first throw was made.

"Five, five, six, are 16!" announced the planter, setting down the figures.

The dice were gathered up and thrown again.

"Six, six and a five. Good! That's 17."

The boy was pale as death as he took the box for the last throw, and his mother leaned against a stanchion for support. At length—and the book was opened!

"Three sixes—18! and that's 51! My boy, you're a trump! Now, Mr. Clerk, fill up the bill of sale, and I'll sign it before these witnesses."

The scene that followed can be better imagined than described. The last time I heard from Judge Underwood he was alive and well, though long retired from active life. Ninette was his housekeeper and Tommy his most trustful and trusted henchman.—New York News.

### Blood Thicker Than Water.

"Blood is thicker than water" is an expression first made popular by Commodore Tatnal, an American officer who assisted the English against the Chinese, and in his report justified himself by using this expression, which is, however, an old proverbial saying employed by Scott and other English writers of the present and last century.

### Italian Country Dance.

In Italy when the country men and women dance together the first thing they do is to toss off their shoes, if they wear any. A man does not go up to a girl and ask if she will dance, but he fixes his eye upon her from a distance and nods. She nods in return, and then both kick off their shoes, advance toward each other, and begin to dance.

## BOONE, THE HUNTER.

### He Always Carried His Rifle and Killed Much Big Game.

The next few years were passed by Boone amid unending Indian conflicts. He was a leader among the settlers, both in peace and in war. At one time he represented them in the house of burgesses of Virginia, at another time he was a member of the first little Kentucky parliament itself, and he became a colonel of the frontier militia. He tilled the land, and he chopped the trees himself. He helped build the cabins and stockades with his own hands, wielding the long hafted, light headed frontier ax as skillfully as other frontiersmen did.

His main business was that of surveyor, for his knowledge of the country and his ability to travel through it in spite of the danger from Indians created much demand for his services among people who wished to lay off tracts of wild land for their own future use. But whatever he did, and wherever he went, he had to be sleeplessly on the watch for his Indian foes. When he and his fellows tilled the stump dotted fields of corn, one or more of the party were always on guard, with rifle at the ready, for fear of lurking savages. When he went to the house of burgesses, he carried his long rifle and traversed roads not a mile of which was free from the danger of Indian attacks.

The settlements in the early years depended exclusively upon game for their meat, and Boone was the mightiest of all the hunters, so that upon him devolved the task of keeping his people supplied. He killed many buffaloes and pickled the buffalo beef for use in winter. He killed great numbers of black bears and made bacon of them, precisely as if they had been hogs. The common game were deer and elk. At that time no Kentucky hunter would waste a shot on anything so small as a prairie chicken or wild duck, but they sometimes killed geese and swans when they came south in winter and lit on the rivers.—Theodore Roosevelt in St. Nicholas.

## LESS DRINKING IN ENGLAND.

### Tea and Coffee Are Taking the Place of More Intoxicating Beverages.

A record of the consumption of tobacco from 1861 up to the present time, of tea, coffee, cocoa and chicory, of alcoholic beverages and of tobacco, compared with the increase of population, should be of interest to all classes. The most striking feature in the record which has been recently issued, and which has been ordered by the house of commons to be printed, is that while an enormous increase in the consumption of tea, coffee, etc., has taken place there has been a steady diminution in the consumption of both beer and spirits. Between 1861 and 1862 the total consumption of tea, etc., was 120,000,000 pounds. It then steadily rose until in 1898 it stood at 365,000,000 pounds. In the same period the population increased from 28,500,000 to 38,500,000, so that, while in 1861 the consumption of tea, etc., per head was 4.38 pounds, in 1893 it was 6.90 pounds. In regard to wines and spirits, the consumption in 1861 was equal to 35,000,000 gallons, with the population at 28,500,000, and in 1898, with the population at 38,500,000, the consumption was 52,000,000 gallons, so that, per head, it was equal to 1.22 gallons in 1861 and in 1893 to 1.35 gallons, the highest record being 1.80 gallons in 1876, since which the consumption has steadily diminished.

The consumption of beer exhibits a similar rise and fall. Thus, in 1861, the amount consumed per head was 24.3 gallons, in 1874, 34 gallons and in 1893, 29.6 gallons, the total consumption varying from 20,000,000 gallons in 1861 to 31,000,000 gallons in 1876, and 32,000,000 gallons in 1893, the population having increased 10,000,000. Coming to tobacco, in 1861, when the duty was 3s. 1 8-10d. per pound, the total consumption was 34,000,000 pounds, being equal to the use, per head, of 19¼ ounces. In 1863 the duty on cigars was reduced from 9s. 5 4-10d. to 5s. per pound, and the consumption then rose to 21¾ ounces in 1865, to 28 ounces in 1877. In the following year, 1878, an increase of 4d. per pound on all tobacco was made, and an extra 2d. per pound on cigars in 1879, with the result that after that date the consumption fell to 22½ ounces.

From this time it gradually recovered, till 1887, when, the duty on tobacco being reduced 4d. per pound and on cigars 6d. per pound, the consumption quickly rose till it attained to 26 ounces per head of the population in 1893. The total consumption in 1893 was 62,000,000, while in 1861 it was 34,000,000 pounds—i. e., an increase of 28,000,000 pounds for an increase in the population of 10,000,000. To sum up, this interesting return shows that there is a decided diminution in the demand for intoxicating stimulants, while there is a very considerable increase in the demand for nonintoxicating stimulants, principally tea and coffee.—London Lancet.

## THE BOAST OF HEALTH.

### It Often Immediately Precedes Serious if Not Fatal Sickness.

All doctors know that just before death the patient often experiences what is called a "rally," nature making apparently her last stand against the symptom which we call death, and it is quite likely that the feeling which induces men to boast of health is of the same kind—an effort of nature to protect us against the coming sickness which the body has recognized, though the mind has not. The phenomenon occurs every day in the cases of consumptive patients, who brighten up and grow hopeful just when the disease is about to strike its hardest blows, and it is quite possible that it is more frequent than has yet been recognized that the approach of fever, for example, is signaled by an unusual consciousness of health. "I have never felt so well in my life," says the patient, who 24 hours after is lying prostrate, and whose friends quote his statement as illustrating once more the ancient and depressing belief.

The boast had nothing to do with the illness, but it preceded it, and men, attracted by the violent contrast, almost instinctively link the two together as in some way and in some extent cause and effect. Next time those who heard it, if they feel that rush of health in their veins, will avoid boasting of it, and the relation of the two will escape attention. Moreover, it must not be forgotten that boasting is of itself a sign of weakness, either temporary or permanent, and that consequently failure follows boasting more frequently than it follows silence. The perfect driver says he is perfect just when he is most careless, and the resulting spill is remembered when the thousand and one escapes, due to the same driver's skill and hardihood, are clean forgotten.—London Spectator.

### Literary Chicago and Lard.

Notwithstanding the fact that Harold Montgomery lived in Chicago, he had written a poem, and a lovely thing in mellifluous measure it was.

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His heart fluttered in a strange struggle between hope and disappointment.

His wife, who had no music in her soul and had never felt the touch of poesy, stood by his side when he opened the missive from the east.

He read it through, hopefully at first, then despairingly, and his head fell upon his breast.

"What's the matter?" she inquired with wifely anxiety.

"My poem," he gasped.

"What of it?"

"The publisher says it needs shortening. Think of that."

"Well," she said with an air of superior intelligence, "why don't you put some lard in it and send it back to him?"—New York Sun.

### Darwinisms In the Law.

Judge Oliver Wendell Holmes has a decided tendency toward epigrams and hardly a case passes by when he is in the equity session that he does not bring out a new one. Recently, in rendering a decision, he said that the law was full of Darwinisms, and that the line of distinction between one case and another which was apparently like it was so close that it was often very hard to distinguish between them, yet there was such a line, and the bright lawyer was he who recognized such a distinction.—Boston Traveller.

### Possibly George Won't Either.

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# The Morning Star.


## HIS BRAVE DEED.

The mining town of Capelton was alive with excitement. Mr. Hilton, the owner of half the mines and more than half the village, was to give a ball in honor of his son Carl's twenty-first birthday, and also to celebrate the return of his only daughter from the English school to which she had been sent when but 10 years old.

Carl Hilton was an only son, and because of his parent's indulgence had become selfish and tyrannical. His father idolized him and was blind to his faults. As Mr. Hilton had been out of health for more than a year Carl had attended to most of the business, and he had so tyranized over the miners that they one and all hated him, but they loved and respected his father, and for his sake bore in silence the abuse of the son.

It fell to the lot of Fred Chase, one of the foremen in the mine, to escort the beautiful Nina to dinner, and so deeply did they become engaged in conversation that it was some minutes before Fred noticed that Carl sat directly opposite and was watching them closely.

"I intend to visit the mines tomorrow," said the girl in tones loud enough to be heard by her brother. "I want to descend the new shaft."

"I shall be very happy to conduct you through the mines, but you must not descend the new shaft, for it is not safe. I have warned your brother that the roof of the mine is in danger of falling, but he only laughs at me, and I fear some terrible accident will be the result of his neglect."

"You are a fool, Fred Chase! The shaft is safe enough. I shall take Nina there myself tomorrow," said Carl angrily.

"I spoke the truth. The shaft is not safe, and unless more timber is put in to support the roof you will soon have proof that I am right."

"Pooh! You are a coward. I will show you tomorrow how little faith I put in your words."

The following morning Carl started for the new shaft alone. Nina refused to accompany him and begged him to delay his visit until the roof was made secure.

Carl reached the shaft just as half a dozen miners came from it, and in answer to his inquiries was told that Fred Chase and another man had remained behind to finish filling the last car with ore.

In a few minutes he was lowered to the bottom of the shaft. In the distance he could see the lights of the two miners. By the light of his own lantern he saw that some of the beams were bent. All seemed weighted to their utmost capacity, and he shuddered as, in passing one large post, a slight crackling sound was heard.

"I am going on a short distance to look at the ore. You may wait for me at the foot of the shaft, and we will all be drawn up at once," said Carl.

He strolled on, while Fred and his companion returned to the entrance. They had barely reached it when they heard a loud report behind, a cry of fear mingled with the noise of falling rocks; then all was still.

Only an instant did they stand motionless. Then Fred grasped the rope and gave the signal to be hoisted to the top.

Soon the entrance to the shaft was a scene of wild excitement. The father offered large rewards to any who would attempt the rescue of his son, but not a man would volunteer.

Fred had stood silent, with his eyes bent on the ground, until the old man, in sheer despair, cried out:

"I will give half of my fortune—and it is a large one—to the men who will help me reach my boy!"

Fred came forward with a look of resolve on his face.

"Mr. Hilton, not for your entire fortune would I enter that mine to save your son, but for humanity's sake I will do my best to rescue him."

A cheer from the miners greeted these brave words. With a wave of his hand Fred commanded silence, and running his eye over the crowd said slowly:

"I must have three men to help me. Who will go?"

Charles Gray, Fred's chosen companion, stepped to his side. Two more men quickly followed, and they were lowered into the shaft.

The first act of the workers was to place extra beams, which were lowered down the shaft for the purpose, as near as they could to the fallen roof, to bear any strain that might be resting on those already there.

At the end of three hours of cautious digging they came to the car which Fred and his companion had staid behind to fill, and they stopped for a few moments' rest.

In half an hour they had reached an opening caused by two large rocks which had fallen together in such a manner as to leave a space between them. In that space lay Carl, with one arm doubled under him and one foot pinioned by a stone. The poor fellow was terribly bruised and cut, but conscious.

"God bless you, Fred, and your brave companions," said Mr. Hilton huskily as he grasped the young man by the hand. "From my heart I thank you."

The crowd soon dispersed, and Carl was conveyed to his home. After many weeks of suffering he recovered, but the crushed foot was useless—he was a cripple for life.

As soon as he was able to do so Carl sent for Fred.

"Forgive me, Fred," he said frankly. "I was wrong, but my punishment has been great."

About a year afterward Mr. Hilton bestowed his daughter's hand upon the young man who had saved his son's life, and on his wedding day Fred became one of the owners of the mine.—London Spare Moments.

### One of the 600 an International Rogue.

In the rogues' gallery of the secret service bureau of the treasury department is the card photograph of a once famous counterfeiter who was arrested by the treasury agents and made to serve a long term in the penitentiary. The face is that of a rather plain looking man of about 45, with the sort of face that impresses because of a look of fearlessness unmingled with boldness.

The photograph is that of a German who served in the British army as a private and passed through one of the most exciting events of the Crimean war. He was a member of the famous Light Dragoons, the immortal 600 that rode into the valley of death in their charge on the Russian position, and one of the few that survived that terrible engagement. He was distinguished by the British government, but went to the bad, and even after his experience in the United States committed a similar crime in Germany and was again sentenced to a long term of imprisonment. —Washington Post.

### Direct.

She—What a fine talker your friend is!
He—Yes, he inherited it.
She—How so?
He—His mother was a woman.—New York Herald.

### Origin of "Viz."

The contraction "viz" is a curious instance of the universality of arbitrary signs. There are few writers who do not appreciate the fact that the little contraction may be used in "good form" writing of all kinds, but there are probably even fewer persons who have any idea of its origin. It is a corruption of the word videlicet, the terminal letter of which was formerly made in the shape of a "z," but was never intended to represent that letter, being simply used as a mark or sign of abbreviation. It is now always written and expressed as "z" and will doubtless continue to be so used as long as written language exists. It is, however, as we have said, one of the many arbitrary modes of expression used by the masses, who never give a thought as to their origin.—St. Louis Republic.

### Dr. Mary Putnam Jacobi.

Dr. Mary Putnam Jacobi of New York is an ardent suffragist and one who ought to win converts to the cause in great numbers. She makes the strongest arguments in favor of the cause whenever she steps upon the lecture platform, and her manner is most convincing. She said at the annual festival of the Massachusetts Suffrage association the other evening that a moral squint afflicted the entire human race, and she gave such proofs as to leave little doubt in the minds of her hearers.—Boston Traveller.

## PRODUCTION OF MEERSCHAUM.

**Where Rich Deposits Are Found—Drying, Cleaning and Polishing.**

Mr. Cumberbatch, British consul at Angora, says that rich deposits of meerschaum are found 20 miles to the southeast of Eski Shehir, an important station of the Anatolian railway. The Belgian consul in Constantinople, who recently visited the place, states that it would be difficult to determine the exact area in which the meerschaum is to be found. Judging from the number of pits at considerable distances from each other, it must be extensive.

The meerschaum is extracted in the same way as coal. Pits from 25 to 120 feet deep are dug, and as soon as the vein is struck horizontal galleries, sometimes of considerable length, are made, but more than two galleries are seldom to be found in one pit. The stone as extracted is called "ham tash," or rough block, and is soft enough to be easily cut with a knife. It is white, with a yellowish tint, and is covered with red, clayey soil of about one inch thick. In this state the blocks are purchased by dealers on the spot, not by weight or measurement, but according to approximate quantity, either per load of three sacks or per cartload, the price varying from £5 to £30 per load, according to quality.

These blocks are dried and subjected to certain preparations before being conveyed to Eski Shehir. Some of them are as small as a walnut, while others attain the size of a cubic foot. Those which combine regularity of surface and size are the best. The manipulation required before they are ready for exportation is long and costly. The clayey soil is removed and the meerschaum dried. In summer exposure for five or six days to the sun's rays suffices, but in winter a room heated to the required temperature is necessary, and the drying process takes eight or ten days.

When dried, the blocks are well cleaned and polished. Then they are sorted into about 12 classes, each class being packed with great care in separate cases and each block being wrapped in cotton wool. The bulk of the meerschaum is sent to Vienna, where it is worked and dispersed all over the world. Most of the finest specimens are sent direct to Paris. Certain American dealers have visited Eski Shehir with the object of obtaining the raw material direct instead of through Vienna, thereby saving the higher custom house duty payable on the worked meerschaum. The quantity annually exported is put down at 8,000 to 10,000 cases. The various taxes levied by the Turkish government amount to about 37 per cent ad valorem.

## A PALM READER.

**How She Aroused and Started One Woman on the Road to Success.**

"Let me tell you," said the successful woman, "how I got my first start. I was doing literally nothing and had just enough of a small income to pay cheap board in a second rate boarding house. One day I heard the ladies say that a palm reader was in the house, going from room to room, reading fortunes at 25 cents a palm.

"I told them to send her up to me, and after a little she came. I had expected to see a gypsyish looking creature, but to my surprise I saw a small, bright eyed young woman dressed neatly in black, and evidently a person of education. She sat down before me, took my hand, and after examining the palm a moment started and looked into my face keenly.

"'Tricks of her trade,' I said to myself and waited for her to speak. Her first words struck me like a blow.

"'You have no ambition.'

"'Why do you think so?' I asked.

"'If you had any, you would not stay here. What are you doing?'

"I did not answer, and she continued:

"'You do not paint pictures,' looking at the bare walls, 'nor write books. You have a gift, but it is smothered in rubbish.'

"Then, without a word about love or marriage, as the custom of her kind is, she dropped my hand and said sternly:

"'Do something! Go somewhere! There is work waiting for you!'

"I hunted up two dimes and a 5 cent piece to give her, and I have thought since that if the coins had been gold that lesson would have been cheap. The words rang in my head: 'You have no ambition. Do something,' until I sought and obtained a position, which has brought me both money and fame."

"And the palm reader. Did you ever see her again?"

"No; but I learned some curious facts about her from a lady in the house in whom she confided. She was a stranger, a schoolteacher, who lost her purse on the cars and was stranded in this town. She had studied palmistry, and being quick witted she put her knowledge to a practical test and earned enough money to continue her journey. I would like her to know what she did for me. Perhaps my case may help others out of the slough of indolence," concluded the successful woman. "To inspire myself I keep these three lines of Lowell pinned before my desk as a daily and hourly reminder:

"Greatly begin! Though but a line
Thou hast to write, be that sublime.
Not failure, but low aim is crime."

—Detroit Free Press.

## THE COW TREE.

**A Vegetable Freak Found In the Mountain Region of Venezuela.**

The mountain region of Venezuela is the home of one of the most remarkable botanical freaks known to grow upon the American continent. It is a tree which flourishes only upon the mountain sides, and always at the height of about 8,000 feet above sea level. It is lofty and slender for its height and has broad, stiff leaves of a dusty white color, which give it the appearance of being almost dead. What is queer about this tree with the tall, slender trunk and dead looking leaves and branches? It is odd enough, sure, for, although it is a very stupid looking forest growth, it is known the world over as the "milk" or "cow tree"—the famous "palo de vaca," which Humboldt so glowingly describes. It is an evergreen variety, and those who have used its "milk" pronounce it "perfectly delicious." When the traveler, hunter or native of the Venezuelan mountains is tired, hungry or thirsty, he needs but to cut the bark of the cow tree in order to be rewarded with a copious flow of this milky sap which is said to be even sweeter and richer than the milk of the best high grade Jersey. If collected in vessels and allowed to stand for some little time, say from 8 to 12 hours, it grows thick and yellow, and the "cream" goes through the process of "rising to the top" just as it does in ordinary milk.

At about the time of sunrise, according to Humboldt and other well known scientists, is the hour chosen by those acquainted with the tree's peculiarities for tapping the bark. At that time the milk is believed to be more palatable and nutritious than if taken after the sun has been acting for some hours upon the leaves. Attempts have been made to cultivate the cow tree, both in Mexico and in the smaller Central American republics, but, so far, all such innovations have been failures. As soon as it is removed from the mountain side, even in its native land, where the natives have tried to grow it in the valleys, it withers and dies.—St. Louis Republic.

### Artificial Ones.

The Colonel—My dear Mrs. Von Blumer, you are looking like a rose this evening.

Mrs Von Blumer—Oh, colonel, but roses fade.

The Colonel (gallantly)—Some of them don't.—New York Herald.

## THE MEDITERRANEAN.

Has the perpetual vision of a sky,
Heavenlier than other skies, given thee this hue?
Or is the treading of its wine dark blue
Hid with thy siren's song, thy Tyrian dye
On sandy floors or in cold caves where lie
Wrecks of old worlds and rudiments of new,
By no receding ebb laid bare to view,
By no returning flood cast up on high?

The breakers answer not, but evermore,
In weary tideless iteration dashing
On the rough shingle of this dusty shore,
Repeat in sullen dreams the deadly crashing
Of galley against galley, or the roar
Of hostile guns through smoke wreathed portholes flashing.

—Alfred W. Benn.

## AN AWESOME ENGLISHMAN.

**How He Makes the Teeth of the Tenderfeet Chatter on a Mexican Railway.**

The gentleman from the remote hacienda, as we innocently imagined, had just dismounted from the upper berth, armed cap-a-pie, his visiting, Sunday best revolver displaying its mother of pearl handle and its nickeled business end; his spurs were strapped onto his boots, and they jingled as he alighted. A shudder ran through the stalwart frame of the Pullman porter, who had, up to that moment, treated us with the nonchalant hauteur of a Standard Oil magnate.

"Sah," exclaimed the porter, "shine your spurs, sah?"

But the cavalier deigned not to reply, and jangle jingled his way to the smoking compartment, where he patiently awaited the breakfast station, still 1½ hours distant.

"Dese hyah Mexicans is jess holy terrors," remarked the porter sotto voce. "Dey goes to bed ready for a battle or a duel; if we'd gone off de track in de night, that man, sah, would have shot de conductor or me fo' sho'. I'm jess about dead tired of dis job."

The remainder of us began to invent explanations for the presence of the don, who was taking a trip in such warlike guise. Some of us thought he might be a famous bandit, locally known as El Alote, or The Tall One, and our excited and as yet unbreakfasted imaginations pictured the train held up, our pockets rifled of the silver dollars of the Montezumas, and only locally unnegotiable New York drafts left to us as we crossed what old fashioned geographers termed the Great American desert.

The conductor coming in from a consultation with the newsboy, who had provided him with a provisional breakfast of jubilee paste, said in reply to our queries regarding the mysterious passenger:

"He's no Mexican. He got on last night about 12. He's manager of an English mining company down the road."

"But his spurs! He wore them all night, and his revolver he had on when he got down from his berth," we breathlessly urged.

"Yes, I know; he always does that to awe the tenderfoot," explained the cynical conductor.

Presently, as if in confirmation of the statement of the conductor, we overheard the bepistoled Britisher saying to the porter: "I dessay, boy, you can make me a cup of tea in the buffet. I'm quite fagged this morning."

The conductor said to us in a few whispers: "He gets off at the next station. He never goes farther. You see he's a younger son, sent over on £5,000 a year to manage a mine. He knows as much about ore as a Pullman porter does of a ship's rigging. When he came over, they gave him a French chef to cook for him at the mine and a violinist to while away his evenings, for he's accustomed to the opera and Paris. It's a daisy job he has, and you just bet your life I'd like to change with him."—Boston Herald.

## WALES AT THE PLAY.

**The Prince Tries to Avoid Display When at the Theater.**

The royal box is booked in the usual way of business and charged to the Marlborough House account. The price is not increased from the library tariff, and the stories about a nominal price or a larger one being paid by royalty only exists in the imagination of the papers who invent such tarraddidles. Sometimes it happens that a box cannot be got at the particular theater decided upon. When this is the case, a polite request is made to the party who has booked the royal box if they could see their way to obliging his royal highness, and the result is, of course, invariably in the affirmative.

When he goes to the theater, it is his earnestly expressed desire to be treated exactly as if he were one of the ordinary audience. Little displays of flowers, bouquets, satin programmes, etc., are all very nice, but the prince does not care for them, and would much rather do without them. Another thing which annoys him is that he should be drawn attention to by the performance on his arrival of the national anthem or "God Bless the Prince of Wales." As he said on one occasion, "Why must the amusement of every member of this audience be disturbed for my sake?"

Then again you will notice that he waits till the final curtain has descended before rising to leave. This is his invariable rule, so much so that I have known him to sit out the entire harlequinade of a Drury lane pantomime. There are three or four theaters only where he ever breaks the rule. They are those houses which have no royal entrance, and here the prince anticipates the final curtain by two or three minutes, so that his departure will not disturb the carriage traffic of the remainder of the audience.—New York Herald.

### Vines and Shady Places.

Among the vines adapted for use in shady locations we have nothing better than the native Clematis flammula, with its profuse clusters of starry white flowers. Indeed, it is one of the finest of climbers. It may not be showy in the sense of colors, but its airy sprays of bloom have a charm for all who love beauty for beauty's sake. I often think if I were required to make a choice among vines, and could have but one, it should be this. It is a rapid grower, entirely hardy, and beautiful at all times. The new white variety, Clematis paniculata grandiflora, has larger flowers with broader petals and is, therefore, more noticeable, but it is not so charming in dainty beauty and graceful habit as the variety spoken of above. Nothing can be finer for use in large vases, in combination with other flowers, than long sprays of branches of this clematis. They trail about the vase and dispose themselves on table, bracket or shelf in the most artistic manner, without any assistance. They cannot be ungraceful.—Demorest's Magazine.

### The Joys of Cycling.

Walker—I don't see where you fellows get much enjoyment out of a bicycle. Just riding there and riding back. I should think it would be rather monotonous.

Wheeler—Don't you think for a minute that it is monotonous. The riding is not half of it. There are tires to mend, over so many bolts and screws to keep tightened up, and all sorts of things to do with the wheel, to say nothing of the fun of going to the surgeon to get patched up every once in awhile, or the pure joy of running over a small boy or a dog. No fun on a wheel! You are talking through your hat. —Indianapolis Journal.

Ale was the sole title of malt liquor until the reign of Henry VIII, up to which time the employment of hops as an ingredient in the beverage was unknown in England.

While the color of the hair is not supposed to indicate greater or less strength, it is a curious fact that gray horses are stronger than brown ones.

### Farragut on the Minto.

H. L. Slade, an employee of the Taunton Locomotive works of Taunton, Mass., who was on the gunboat Minto during the naval engagement in Mobile bay, denies that Admiral Farragut was lashed to the mast. "While the Hartford was working under steam," he says, "with many of her light spars on deck, the old iron of the enemy was always directed not only toward disabling the boilers, but cutting the spars in pieces. Had Admiral Farragut been lashed to the mast he would have been unnecessarily exposing himself. As a matter of fact, the admiral stood perfectly free on a large grating, which had been taken from near the wheel and which was lashed in the starboard mizzen rigging, about three feet above the hammock nettings. At one time a portion of the lashings was cut away, and the admiral was precipitated to the deck, saving himself, however, from injury by grasping some of the running rigging as he went down. The lashings were once again put on the grating, and the admiral resumed his old position."—New York Tribune.

### Glass Peculiarities.

There are some peculiar phenomena connected with hot glass and water. If a ball of redhot iron is placed in a vessel containing cold water, the latter is quickly agitated. But a ball of melted glass of equal weight dropped in cold water will produce no immediate agitation. The water will remain quiet for some time, but when the glass is cooled to about half its highest temperature it agitates the cold water violently.

A singular phenomenon is illustrated by placing a glass tube, two feet long, before a fire, in a horizontal position, properly supported, say by putting a cork in at each end, supported by pins for an axis. The rod will acquire a rotary motion around the axis, and also a progressive motion toward the fire, even if the supports are declined from the fire. When the progressive motion of the tube toward the fire is stopped by any obstacle, the rotation is still continued. When the tube is placed in nearly an upright position, leaning to the right hand, the motion will be from east to west, but if the tube leans to the left hand the motion will be from west to east.—Boston Herald.

### A Compulsory Conclusion.

He was a flirt, and the girl knew it.

He had been saying tender things and looking unutterable ones for weeks.

And every time he opened his mouth he put his foot in it.

At last he came to the point.

"I have lost my heart," he said to her in that way which every woman knows so well the interpretation of.

She looked at him searchingly.

"Science," she responded, "says that nothing is lost."

He was about to reply, but he caught himself.

Then he got out of the presence of that girl, for he knew in his soul that she was science, and that in her opinion his heart was nothing.—Detroit Free Press.

### Wrangling Therewith.

"You want a divorce from your wife, do you?"

"Yes, sir, I do."

"What grounds?"

"Incompatibility. She and the cook are quarreling continually."—Detroit Tribune.

I have unlearned contempt. It is a sin that is engendered earliest in the soul and doth beset it like a poison worm, feeding on all its beauty.—N. P. Willis.


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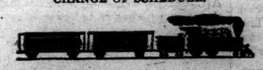

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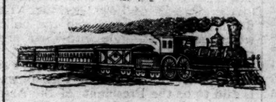

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DEPARTURE FROM WILMINGTON—NORTHBOUND.

DAILY 9.20 A M — No. 48—Passenger—Due Magnolia 10.56 a m, Warsaw 11.10 a m, Goldsboro 12.05 a m, Wilson 1.00 p m, Rocky Mount 2.33 p m, Tarboro 2.48 p m, Weldon 3.39 p m, Petersburg 5.43 p m, Richmond 6.45 p m, Norfolk 6.05 p m, Washington 11.10 p m. Baltimore 12.48 a m, Philadelphia 3.45 a m, New York 6.53 a m, Boston 8.00 p m.

DAILY 7.00 P M — No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.31 p m, Warsaw 8.45 p m, Goldsboro 9.40 p m, Wilson 10.27 p m, †Tarboro 6.58 a m, Rocky Mount 12.07 p m, Weldon 12.55 a m, †Norfolk 10.25 a m, Petersburg 2.37 a m, Richmond 3.40 a m, Washington 7.00 a m, Baltimore 8.20 a m, Philadelphia 10.46 a m, New York 1.23 p m, Boston 8.30 p m.

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DAILY 3.30 P M — No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.45 p m, Chadbourn 5.17 p m, Marion 6.34 p m, Florence 7.05 p m, Atkinson 8.11 p m, Sumter 8.38 p m, Columbia 10.00 p m, Denmark 6.11 a m, Augusta 8.00 a m, Macon 11.00 a m, Atlanta 12.15 p m, Charleston 10.55 p m, Savannah 1.19 a m, Jacksonville 7.00 a m. St. Augustine 12.00 noon, Tampa 5.30 p m.

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DAILY 5.45 P M — No. 47—Passenger—Leave Boston 1.00 p m, New York 9.00 p m, Philadelphia 12.05 a m, Baltimore 2.50 a m, Washington 4.30 a m, Richmond 9.05 a m, Petersburg 10.00 a m, Norfolk 8.40 a m, Weldon 11.53 a m, Tarboro 12.20 p m, Rocky Mount 1.06 p m, Wilson 2.18 p m, Goldsboro 3.10 p m, Warsaw 4.02 p m, Magnolia 4.16 p m.

DAILY 10.00 a m — No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 11.00 p m, New York 9.00 a m, Philadelphia 11.38 a m, Baltimore 2.18 p m, Washington 3.30 p m, Richmond 7.13 p m, Petersburg 7.54 p m, †Norfolk 2.10 p m, Weldon 9.27 p m, †Tarboro 5.50 p m, Rocky Mount 10.20 p m, arrive Wilson 11.08 p m, leave Wilson 6.35 a m, Goldsboro 7.20 a m, Warsaw 8.16 a m, Magnolia 8.29 a m.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 11 50 a m — No. 56—Passenger—Leave Tampa 9.30 a m, Sanford 1.50 p m, Jacksonville 6.20 p m Savannah 12.00 night, Charleston 4.13 a m, Columbia 5.20 a m, Atlanta 7.15 a m, Macon 3.00 a m, Augusta 2.25 p m, Denmark 4.17 p m, Sumter 6.43 a m, Atkins 7.14 a m, Florence 8.25 a m, Marion 9.06 a m, Chadbourn 10.10 a m, Lake Waccamaw 10.39 a m.

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Trains on Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.45 p m, Halifax 4.05 p m, arrive Scotland Neck 4.55 p m, Greenville 6.37 p m, Kinston 7.35 p m. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.20 a m, Greenville 8.22 a m, Arriving Halifax at 11 00a m, Weldon 11.20 a m, daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 7.00 a. m., arrive Parmele 8.40 a. m., Tarboro 9 50; am returning leaves Tarboro 4 40 p m; Parmele 6.10 p. m. arrives Washington 7.35 p. m. Daily except Sunday. Connects at Parmele with trains on Scotland Neck Branch.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, at 4.50 p m; Sunday 3.00 p m; arrive Plymouth 9 00 p m, 5 55 p m. Returning, leave Plymouth daily except Sunday 6.00 a m, Sunday 9 30 a m; Arrive Tarboro 10 25 a m and 11 45 a m.

Train on Midland N C Branch leaves Goldsboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 6 05 a m arrive Smithfield N. C., 7.30 a m. Returning, leaves Smithfield, N. C., 8 00 a m; arrive Goldsboro, N. C., 9 20 a m.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 4.30 p m, arrives Nashville 5.05 p m, Spring Hope 5.30 p m. Returning leaves Spring Hope 8 a m, Nashville 8 35 a m; arrive Rocky Mount 9 05 a m, daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leave Warsaw for Clinton Daily except Sunday at 4.10 p m; returning leave Clinton at 7.20 a m.

Trains on South and North Carolina Railroad leave Elliott 7.00 p m, arrive Bishopville 7 39 p m. Lucknow 8.10 p m, returning leave Lucknow 6.30 a m, Bishopville 7 00 a m; arrive Elliott 7 38 a m. Daily except Sunday.

Florence Railroad leave Pee Dee 8.40 a m, arrive Latta 9.01 a m, Dillon 9 12 a m, Rowland 9 31 a m, returning leaves Rowland 6 00 p m, arrives Dillon 6.18 p m, Latta 6.31 p m, Pee Dee 6.53 p m, daily. Latta Branch trains leave Latta 6 40 p m, arrive Dunbar 7 50 p m, returning leave Dunbar 6 30 a m, arrive Latta 7.50 a m. Daily except Sunday.

Wilmington and Conway Railroad, leave Hub at 8.

# The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

TUESDAY MORNING, SEP. 3, 1895


## EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS

**Felt at Many Places in Pennsylvania, New Jersey and New York—People Frightened, but no Damage Done.**

CHESTER, Pa., September 1—An earthquake shook this city about 6 o'clock this morning and startled many people. The vibration did not continue longer than several seconds.

NORTHPORT, N. Y., September 1.—Shortly before 6 o'clock this morning an earthquake was distinctly felt here. Houses rocked like cradles and people, still asleep, were awakened by the vibrations. The rumbling lasted for several seconds.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., September 1.—Quite a severe earthquake shock was perceptible in Plainfield this morning at 6 o'clock, lasting about seven seconds. Buildings quivered, people were thrown out of bed, ornaments were scattered from mantels over the floors and other evidences of the vibration were observed.

CONEY ISLAND, September 1.—Shortly after 6 o'clock this morning an earthquake shock was felt. The old sea beach palace building rocked to and fro for a few seconds and windows were broken. At the chute enclosure Captain Paul Boynton says that the big structure shook and the glass in the windows of his office was rattled so it cracked in several places. At the Oriental, Manhattan and Brighton Beach hotels the big buildings also got a good shaking and several guests got out of bed and rushed to the windows to see what the trouble was.

WASHINGTON, September 2.—Considerable surprise is expressed that no developments in regard to the recent earthquake oscillation so plainly perceived in other localities have yet been announced from any of the scientific bureaus in Washington, when nine years ago almost to a day the great Charleston, South Carolina, earthquake occurred, a distinguished member of the Smithsonian Institution delivered an address in which he demonstratad that there was a volcanic belt extending across the United States, of which Washington was the very centre. Elaborate preparations were therefore taken at the observatory and other points to register any future seismic disturbances but without results. It is said, however, that when the photographic plate of the Washington monument, understood to have been automatically taken at the Naval Observatory yesterday morning, is developed to morrow, some indications as to whether that great column, 550 feet high, departed from the line of perpendicular during the period of the earthquake shock may be apparent.

TARRYTOWN, N. Y., September 2.—Tarrytown, Irvington and Scarborough were in the path of the earthquake early Sunday morning. Buildings in the different villages trembled perceptibly, glasses and china rattled on shelves and in several instances were broken to pieces. The seismic disturbances occurred at 6 10 a. m., and the general direction was from the southeast. In some buildings cracks were made in the walls.

## THE COTTON CROP.

**Total for the Year Ended August 31st, 9,901,225 Bales.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 2.—The cotton crop of the United States for the year ending August 31st, 1895, is as follows, the figures being given in round thousands: North Carolina, etc., 465,000 bales; South Carolina, 800,000; Georgia, 1,300,000; Alabama, 1,000,000; Florida, 60,000; Mississippi, 1,200,000; Louisiana, 600,000; Arkansas, 850,000; Tennessee, etc., 6350,000; Texas, 3,276,000. Total crop, 9,901,000.

The Texas crop, which amounts in exact figures to 3,275,858 bales, includes 120,962 bales grown in Indian Territory. The statement of overland this year includes 80,000 bales by two railroads that have not hitherto been considered as cotton handlers.

The cotton crop of the United States for the year ending August 31st, 1895, giving port receipts, overland and Southern consumption, is as follows: Port receipts 8,066,177 bales; Southern consumption, 807,973 bales; overland, 1,087,101 bales. Total crop, 9,901,251 bales. The total Southern consumption was 863,838 bales and included 54,865 bales taken from and counted at Southern outports.

## ATLANTA'S TRAGEDY.

**A Man Who Saw Bass Fall After He Was Shot.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ATLANTA, September 2.—A man has been found who says he saw B. C. Bass fall to the ground. Friday morning this man, whose name is Divine, stated that he was about half a block away from Bass when the shot was fired. He states that he did not see any one run away but he cannot say whether Bass shot himself, or was shot. It was his impression at the time that Bass shot himself. Divine did not approach the body. He says that he passed on the opposite side of the street.

## NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHARLESTON, September 2.—Spirits turpentine firm at 24½; receipts 33 casks. Rosin firm; good strained $1 05@1 15; receipts 276 barrels.

LIVERPOOL Sept. 2.—Noon.—Cotton: Demand moderate; prices steady. American middling 4 7-32d. Sales 8,000 bales, of which 7,300 bales were American; speculation and export 500 bales; receipts 2,000 bales, American 500. Futures opened easy; demand moderate. September and October 4 8-64d@4 11-64d; October and November 4 9-64@4 10-64d@4 11-64@4 12-64; November and December 4 10-64; December and January 4 11-64d@4 14-64d; January and February 4 13-64@4 12-64 @4 13-64@4 14-64@4 15-64d; February and March 4 14-64d; March and April 4 15-64@4 18-64d; April and May 4 17-64d. Futures closed steady. Tenders of cotton for delivery to-day were 4,100 bales new dockets and 100 bales old dockets.


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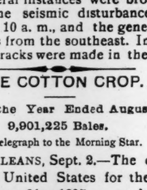


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## LABOR'S CELEBRATION.

**WORKERS PARADE IN ALL THE LARGE CITIES.**

**Italians Unfurl the Red Flag in Philadelphia—The Flag Seized and the Leaders Arrested—Quiet Observance of the Holiday in Other Places.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., September 2.—The waving of the red flag of anarchy during the formation of a Labor Day parade of Italians to-day led to a wild scene, and the arrest of two men who attempted to incite a mob to riot. The police were informed yesterday that an organization of Italian Socialists was preparing for a celebration to-day and that they had floated a red flag from a window of the meeting place. The police notified the Association that the display of the flag was a violation of the law and that it would have to be taken down. The officers of the Association, with some reluctance, removed the emblem, but when the parade was formed to-day Witis Calvo, one of the Italians, carried a red flag at the head of the line and frantically waved it, amid the cheers of the throng of 1,000 persons. The flag-bearer was arrested and the police were forced to struggle with their prisoner through the surging mob and to use their clubs freely. After Calvo's arrest another Italian, Anglo Pizzini, who is said to be the President of the Association, pulled a red flag from his pocket and waved in the faces of the police. His action pleased the crowd and cheers for the flag and for anarchy rent the air, followed by hooting of the police. Pizzini was soon surrounded by policemen and the flag torn from his hands. He was dragged to the police station, followed by a howling mob. It was found that both flags waved to-day were pieces of the flag that last evening floated from the windows of the Association's headquarters. The prisoners were arraigned before Magistrate Germon and held in $1,500 each for a further hearing to-morrow.

WASHINGTON, September 2.—The parade in honor of Labor Day occupied the prominent streets of the National Capital all the forenoon. Many thousand representatives of organized labor turned out in a display that for diversity and attractiveness has never been excelled on a like occasion in Washington. Fully two-thirds of those in line were uniformed.

RALEIGH, N. C., September 2.—Labor day was observed here by the closing of the Capitol, displaying flags, closing the postoffice and Governmeat offices and of shops. There was no parade or public observance.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., September 2.—Labor day in Brooklyn was generally observed by a procession of laborers, but aside from the waving of a few flags on public and private buildings there were few decorations. There was no great parade as in former years.

UTICA, N. Y., Sept. 2.—Labor day was observed here by the usual parade of the members of the various unions. A pleasant feature of the day is the announcement that the wages of the employes of the Globe Woollen Mills have been substantially advanced. An unpleasant system of fining has been done away with and an advance of 7½ per cent. has been granted the weavers. The mill is now running at nearly its full capacity and other additions to the force will be speedily made.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., September 2.—The celebration of Labor day here today was very successful. There were fifteen hundred working men in the parade. Afterward an address was delivered by Thomas Wisdom, vice president of the Iron Moulders of America, whereupon lengthy resolutions condemning the aggressiveness of capital, and denouncing the imprisonment of Eugene V. Debs, were adopted. One of the preambles reads as follows: "Whereas, we see a sovereign State invaded by national troops over the protest of its Governor in defiance of law, and free American citizens, our brothers of the American Railway Union, prosecuted by the Government on demand of this same money devil, upon a process so weak that they were glad to shunt it on to a side track and secure conviction without a jury, on a charge of contempt of court; a cowardly avoidance of the true issue; all telling us in language plain that we are slaves."

ATLANTA, GA., September 2.—Labor day was celebrated here by a parade of 1,500 working men through the principal streets.

BOSTON, Mass., September 2.—The wage-earners enjoyed beautiful weather for their holiday to-day, and the celebration of Labor day was on a somewhat more extensive scale than in previous years. The forenoon feature of the celebration was the big parade of the labor organizations, with bands, banners and mottoes. The procession, which was in three large divisions, was viewed by thousands of spectators and was inspected at the State House by the Governor and at the City Hall by the Mayor.

BUFFALO, N. Y., September 2.—Labor day was celebrated here by a monster parade in which 5,000 workingmen took part, and by athletic games and speech making at Germania Park.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 2.—Labor day, with all its accompanying festivities, received special recognition in Rochester. Besides the parade of the Knights of Labor, the American Federation of Labor had a parade. The latter numbered over 6,000 members.

DULUTH, MINN., Sept. 2.—Nearly 10,000 men marched in the Labor day parade this morning. One of the features was the presence of Mrs. Aiken, sister of Ray Goodwin, one of the six American Railway Union directors who were imprisoned by Federal Courts for contempt.

NEW YORK, September 2—This is the first Labor day that has not witnessed a general parade of all the trades unions of this city and its vicinity. This fact is considered significant with the New York working people generally. With but few exceptions there are but few questions to be agitated and no victories to be celebrated. An important parade was that of the 1,400 letter carriers of the city.

CHICAGO, ILL., Sept. 2.—Dissension marked the celebration of Labor day in Chicago in 1895, and the organization made separate parades. This was the result of the long pending dispute between the labor congress and the trade and labor assembly.

## TROOPS CALLED OUT

**To Protect Workmen in the Michigan Mining Regions.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ISHPEMING, Mich., September 2—The Houghton, Calumet, Marquette and Ironwood companies of the State militia, Fifth regiment, of the upper peninsula, reached here at 4 o'clock this morning and pitched their tents on a high bluff at Lake Angeline and Lake Superior. With the troops were four steam shovel gangs of fifty men. Three steam shovels were started at 9 o'clock without interference. The militia were jeered by the strikers, who, however, did no overt acts nor made any attempt to cross the dead line, which is marked by flags. The strikers have made threats to attack the shovellers this afternoon, but no trouble is anticipated.


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## THE FALL OF SEDAN.

**Celebration of the 25th Anniversary—American Veterans Given the Place of Honor in the Parade.**

By Cable to the Morning Star.

BERLIN, September 2.—The celebration of the 25th anniversary of the fall of Sedan was continued to-day. The sun shone brightly and the weather was perfect. Immense crowds of sightseers thronged the streets. At 8 o'clock this morning Emperor William reviewed the First Regiment of the Guards before the Schloss, and at the conclusion of the review personally decorated the standards of the troops with oak leaves. A half hour later his Majesty started for the parade, where he was to hold a review of the veterans of the Franco-Prussian war, who had come from the United States to take part in the celebration of the German victory.

The parade of troops and veterans on the Temple Hoffer field was attended with unwonted splendor. The American veterans were given the place of honor on the right wing, near the Steurhouse. The weather was very warm and a haze hung over the scene.

BERLIN, September 2.—Religious services were held in the various churches at Stuttgart to-day, and memorial addresses were delivered at the graves of soldiers who fell during the war of 1870. Later gymnastic contests were held, and at dusk huge bonfires were lighted on the Hazenburg and other hills around the city. At Mannheim artillery salutes were fired, processions headed by bands of music marched through the streets, and the dome of the City Hall was brilliantly illuminated during the evening. The veteran-unions placed wreaths on the Kaiser Wilhelm monument, and Burgomaster Brunet made an earnest speech to the crowd that had gathered.

During the exercises on the parade grounds this morning the Emperor shook hands with Mr. Schleucker, of Chicago, who is spokesman for the veterans of the war of 1870 who have come from America to take part in the celebration of Sedan day. His Majesty said he was glad to have seen so many old warriors who had come across the Atlantic to take part in the celebration, and asked Mr. Schleucker if he had brought his wife with him. On Mr. Schleucker replying that his wife was in a carriage near by with several other ladies the Emperor saluted toward the carriages in which the wives of the veterans were seated and said: "Enjoy yourselves here happily and safely and return to your new homes. I wish you all prosperity in your new fatherland." After the parade, when the Emperor turned to ride homeward, he called out "Good-bye" to the American veterans and their wives.

## BRITISH TRADES UNIONS.

**Twenty-Eighth Annual Congress at Cardiff, Wales—Over a Million Members Represented.**

By Cable to the Morning Star.

CARDIFF, WALES, September 2.—The twenty-eighth annual Trades Union Congress of Great Britain opened at noon to-day in the Town Hall here, with David Holmes, President of the Cotton Spinners' Association, in the chair. The chairman announced that there were 344 duly elected delegates present, representing over a million members of various unions. Mr. Holmes said differences might arise during the session of the Congress. He felt sure that all the delegates were actuated by the motive—the welfare of the working classes of the United Kingdom. At the conclusion of the chairman's remarks, the Mayor of the city delivered an address of welcome to the delegates.

Samuel Gompers, ex-President of the American Federation of Labor, and P. J. Maguire, Vice President of the Federation, are fraternal delegates from the United States.

The Mayor in the course of his speech alluded to the growth of Cardiff, which, he said, in this and other respects is supposed to resemble Chicago. Here Mr. John Burns interrupted the Mayor by crying out "I hope not." The interruption was received with laughter. The Congress then proceeded to the election of a president, the balloting resulting in the choice of Mr. Jenkins, a shipwright. Mr. J. H. Wilson decided to postpone until to-morrow his challenge of the action of the Parliamentary Committee in excluding certain delegates.

## FORTY PERSONS INJURED

**In a Railroad Accident at Coney Island.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CONEY ISLAND, September 2.—A wild engine on the Sea Beach Railroad ran away from the Bay Ridge depot shortly after 3 o'clock this afternoon, and crashed into the rear car of the 3.10 p. m. train, which was on her way to Coney Island and was standing at Woodlawn Park waiting the Catholic Knight picnickers to get off at Woodlawn Park. The rear of the train was badly smashed, and more than forty persons were injured. The injured were removed from the wrecked train and carried over and laid on the grass, where they mourned with pain, waiting the arrival of medical attention. Ambulances were summoned from Brooklyn and Coney Island, and the greatest excitement prevailed. Some of the injured were removed in wagons to near-by cottages and farm houses.

## PEARY EXPEDITION.

**The Steamer Kite Sailed North From Holstonburg July 15th.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Sept. 2.—The Gloucester fishing schooner John E. McKenzie, Capt McKenzie, from Greenland, which arrived here this morning, reports that the Peary expedition steamer Kite was at Holstonburg on July 15. All on board were well. She picked up Prof. Diech, who was awaiting her arrival there. The Kite then sailed north for Peary's headquarters. The coast is clear of ice as far north as reports could be obtained. The schooner herself was 200 miles north of Cape Farewell and saw none. She anticipates a splendid chance for the Kite reaching her destination.

## NONE FOR STONE.

**Not a County in Mississippi Has Indorsed Him.**

JACKSON, MISS., August 31.—Adams county, according to full returns, indorsed Capt. H. D. Money for United States Senator, instead of Governor Stone, as announced yesterday. This means a "goose egg" for "sound money" in Mississippi, not one single county having instructed members of the Legislature to vote for Governor Stone.

In two or three counties goldbug candidates have been nominated for representatives on account of personal popularity, but they are all instructed to vote for a free silver United States Senator next January.

A dispatch received at London from Archdeacon Walfe, at Foo Chow, denies the rumors that riots have taken place there.


When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.


## BASE BALL.

**The Record of the Games Played Yesterday.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

New York—New York 4, Cleveland 3.
2nd game—New York 5, Cleveland 3.
Washington—Washington 6, Louisville 13. 2nd game—Washington 9, Louisville 7.
Boston—Boston 3, Cincinnati 4. 2nd game—Boston 7, Cincinnati 8.
Brooklyn—Brooklyn 11, Chicago 3. 2nd game—Brooklyn 15, Chicago 6.
Baltimore—Baltimore 6, St. Louis 0. 2nd game—Baltimore 1, St. Louis 3.
Philadelphia—Philadelphia 13, Pittsburg 7.
Richmond—Richmond 17, Petersburg 3. 2nd game—Richmond 9, Petersburg 1.
Lynchburg—Lynchburg 11, Portsmouth 7.
Atlanta—Atlanta 7, New Orleans 4.
Mobile—Mobile 4, Montgomery 3.
Norfolk—Norfolk 6, Roanoke 5. 2nd game—Norfolk 6, Roanoke 4.
Nashville—Nashville 11, Evansville 3. 2nd game—Nashville 8, Evansville 0.

## FRENCH IN MADAGASCAR.

**Thousands of the French Soldiers in Hospital.**

By Cable to the Morning Star.

PARIS, Sept. 2—The *Soleil* publishes a letter from its correspondent at Mojanga, Madagascar, which says that 2,260 French soldiers are in the hospitals there, besides a large number of others who have been sent to the Island of Reunion or are about to be sent home as invalids. The hospitals, the letter says, are mere shells, containing tiers of beds, one above another, the uppermost beds coming in contact with the canvas roofs. The physicians and attendants are insufficient in number, besides being in many cases incompetent. It is also asserted by the correspondent that almost all of the men who are still able to continue in the ranks are suffering severely from swolled feet.

## COMING SOUTH.

**A Colony Organized in Iowa to Settle along the Line of the Mobile & Ohio Railroad.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 2.—The *Southern States Magazine* has a report showing that recent sales along the Mobile & Ohio Railroad to Northern and Western people aggregate 40,000 acres. Of this amount 23,000 acres have been sold to a colonization company organized at Sioux City, Iowa, which proposes to take active steps at once to settle people from Iowa and other Western States on this tract. The land will be laid out for farming purposes with a town in connection with it for such settlers as prefer town life. This property is located about sixty miles north of Mobile.

## UNSUCCESSFUL ROBBERY.

**Though It was Planned by the Cashier Himself.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, September 2.—Shortly before noon, while Cashier Raymond Oconel, of the Masonic Temple Association, was taking money from the safe, a young man approached from behind and grabbed a cash box containing $750. The thief started down State street with his plunder, followed by five hundred citizens, and was captured by a policeman. During his flight he threw the money into a garbage box and it was recovered. Certain suspicious circumstances led the police to closely question Cashier Oconel, who finally confessed that the robbery was planned by himself. He says the thief is James Gordon, of Louisville, Ky.

## WHITE-CAP OUTRAGE.

**A Negro Taken from Jail and Shot to Death.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

HICKMAN, KY., September 2.—Between midnight and daybreak this morning Will Butcher, a negro, was taken from the city lock-up and shot to pieces by White-caps. Saturday night he got into a quarrel with a crowd of negroes, the police tried to arrest him, but he resisted and threw a brick, striking a prominent white citizen. He was immediately put behind the bars. This morning the door of the lock-up was found open and the prisoner gone. Later, Butcher was found dead on the river bank, with his head shot to pieces and the body riddled with bullets. Eight or ten white masks were found near by. No arrests have been made.

## WARM WIRELETS.

Commander Bradford and Lieut. Mullian, appointed by Secretary Herbert to conduct the special trial of the American liner St. Louis, reached Washington to-day. They both pronounce the St. Louis a "great ship."

A band of insurgents under Bermudez, on Sunday night last, destroyed the railroad bridge between Citric and Rodgueriz, in the Sagua district, Cuba. Troops have been sent to rebuild the bridge and prevent its being again damaged.

Ex-Senator John F. Lewis died at his residence, Linwood, Rockingham county, Virginia, yesterday. Governor Lewis was a prominent man in Virginia politics. He alone voted against the ordinance of secession passed by the State Convention in 1861. In 1865 he was elected Lieutenant-Governor as a Republican-Unionist, and from 1870 to 1875 represented Virginia in the United States Senate.

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One lot of Face Veiling at 3c and 10c a yard, the old price was 12½c to 25c a yard.
Skirt Canvas, all linen, 8c a yard, regular price is from 12½c to 15c per yard.
Ladies' Belts, old price 10c, new price 5c each.
One lot of Winter Flannel Dress Goods, regular price from 50c to 60c a yard, now 25c.
One lot of colored Table Covers at 35c each, regular price 50c.
Dress Shields at 5c up, real value from 10c to 15c up.
Dress Braid from 1c a yard to 10c, the old price is 5c to 25c up.
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Coats' Spool Cotton at 3c. Clark's Spool Cotton at 3 cents.
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Children's Hose (striped) at 2c a pair.
Hooks and Eyes 1c a paper.
Colored linen Crash at 6c a yard, regular price 10c.
One lot of Lace from ½c to 10c a yard, the old price was from 5c to 25c.
Silk Ball Knitting at 10c each, regular price everywhere 25c.
One lot of Hand Bags at 15c each, regular price 25c to 50c. Black Dress Goods, Silk Warp Henrietta, 40 inches wide, price now 60c a yard, old price $1.
One piece of Black Camel Hair Serge, 44 inches, at 50c a yard.
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